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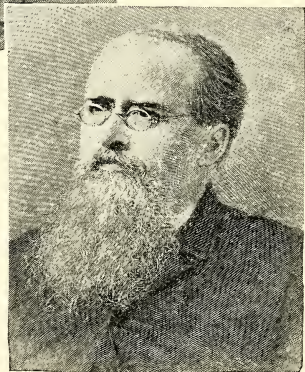
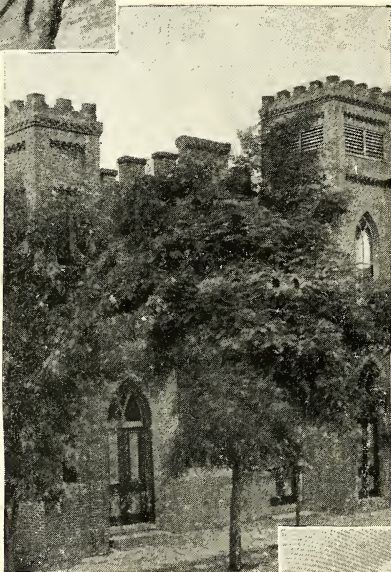
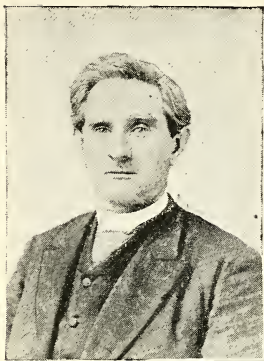
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## SESSIONS OF THE HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE FROM 1824 TO 1895.

NO.	PLACE OF SESSION	DATE OF BEGINNING	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1	Knoxville, Tenn.	Nov. 27, 1824	Bishop Roberts	John Tevis
2	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1825	Bishops Roberts and Soule	T. Stringfield
3	Abingdon, Va.	Nov. 2, 1826	Bishop Soule	
4	Knoxville, Tenn.	Nov. 1, 1827	Bishop Roberts	E. F. Sevier
5	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Nov. 14, 1828	Bishop Soule	E. F. Sevier
6	Abingdon, Va.	Dec. 24, 1829	Bishop Soule	E. F. Sevier
7	Ebenzer, Ch., Tenn.	Nov. 4, 1830	Bishops McKendree & Soule	E. F. Sevier
8	Athens, Tenn.	Nov. 10, 1831	Bishop Hedding	E. F. Sevier
9	Evansham, Va.	Nov. 15, 1832	Bishop Emory	T. Stringfield
10	Kingsport, Tenn.	Oct. 16, 1833	Bishop Roberts	L. S. Marshall
11	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 8, 1834	J. Henniger	L. S. Marshall
12	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 7, 1835	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
13	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Oct. 2, 1836	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
14	Madisonville, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1837	Bishop Morris	L. S. Marshall
15	Wytheville, Va.	Nov. 13, 1838	Bishop Andrew	L. S. Marshall
16	Greeneville, Tenn.	Oct. 13, 1839	T. K. Catlett	D. R. McAnally
17	La Fayette, Ga.	Nov. 11, 1840	Bishop Morris	E. F. Sevier
18	Rogersville, Tenn.	Oct. 6, 1841	S. Patton	E. F. Sevier
19	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 5, 1842	Bishop Vaugh	E. F. Sevier
20	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 4, 1843	Bishop Morris	E. F. Sevier
21	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Oct. 9, 1844	Bishop Janes	E. F. Sevier
22	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 8, 1845	Bishop Andrew	C. D. Smith
23	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 21, 1846	Bishop Capers	C. D. Smith
24	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1847	Bishop Andrew	C. D. Smith
25	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1848	Bishop Paine	C. D. Smith
26	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1849	Bishop Andrew	E. F. Sevier
27	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 2, 1850	Bishop Capers	D. R. McAnally
28	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 7, 1851	Bishop Andrew	D. R. McAnally
29	Asheville, N. C.	Sept. 29, 1852	Bishop Capers	C. D. Smith
30	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 12, 1853	Bishop Paine	W. C. Graves
31	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 14, 1854	Bishop Pierce	W. C. Graves
32	Jonesboro, Tenn.	Nov. 14, 1855	Bishop Pierce	W. C. Graves
33	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 22, 1856	Bishop Andrew	W. C. Graves
34	Marion, Va.	Oct. 22, 1857	Bishop Early	W. C. Graves
35	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 6, 1858	Bishop Andrew	J. N. Huffaker
36	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 26, 1859	Bishop Early	J. N. Huffaker
37	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 17, 1860	Bishop Paine	D. Sullins
38	Greeneville, Tenn.	Oct. 9, 1861	Bishop Andrew	J. H. Brunner
39	Athens, Tenn.	Oct. 15, 1862	Bishop Early	J. H. Brunner
40	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 7, 1863	Bishop Early	E. E. Wiley
41	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 19, 1864	Bishop Early	J. W. Dickey
42	Marion, Va.	Sept. 14, 1865	Bishop Early	J. W. Dickey
43	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 10, 1866	Bishop McTyeire	J. H. Brunner
44	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 23, 1867	Bishop Wightman	J. H. Brunner
45	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 2, 1868	Bishop Wightman	R. N. Price
46	Abingdon, Va.	Sept. 22, 1869	Bishop Doggett	R. N. Price
47	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 5, 1870	Bishop Kavanaugh	R. N. Price
48	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1871	Bishop Pierce	R. N. Price
49	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 25, 1872	Bishop Doggett	R. N. Price
50	Marion, Va.	Oct. 15, 1873	Bishop Keener	R. N. Price
51	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 14, 1874	Bishop Doggett	F. Richardson
52	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1875	Bishop McTyeire	F. Richardson
53	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 18, 1876	Bishop Wightman	F. Richardson
54	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 24, 1877	Bishop Doggett	F. Richardson
55	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 23, 1878	Bishop Kavanaugh	F. Richardson
56	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 22, 1879	Bishop Pierce	F. Richardson
57	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 20, 1880	Bishop McTyeire	R. W. S. Bishop
58	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 26, 1881	Bishop McTyeire	R. W. S. Bishop
59	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 25, 1882	Bishop Wilson	R. W. S. Bishop
60	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Oct. 10, 1883	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
61	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 22, 1884	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
62	Cleveland, Tenn.	Oct. 21, 1885	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
63	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 28, 1886	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
64	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 5, 1887	Bishop McTyeire	W. C. Carden
65	Asheville, N. C.	Oct. 3, 1888	Bishop Hargrove	W. C. Carden
66	Morristown, Tenn.	Oct. 2, 1889	Bishop Wilson	W. C. Carden
67	Bristol, Tenn.	Oct. 1, 1890	Bishop Keener	W. C. Carden
68	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Sept. 30, 1891	Bishop Galloway	W. C. Carden
69	Wytheville, Va.	Oct. 12, 1892	Bishop Fitzgerald	W. C. Carden
70	Knoxville, Tenn.	Oct. 11, 1893	Bishop Duncan	J. A. Burrow, jr
71	Abingdon, Va.	Oct. 24, 1894	Bishop Granbery	J. A. Burrow
72	Tazewell, Va.	Oct. 16, 1895	Bishop Duncan	J. A. Burrow

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SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE.  
FROM 1846 TO 1894.

	PLACE	YEAR	SECRETARY
1	Petersburg, Va	1846	Rev. T. N. Rolston
2	St. Louis, Mo	1850	Rev. T. O. Summers
3	Columbus, Ga	1854	Rev. T. O. Summers
4	Nashville, Tenn	1858	Rev. T. O. Summers
	War times	1862	No Conference
5	New Orleans, La	1866	Rev. T. O. Summers
6	Memphis, Tenn	1870	Rev. T. O. Summers
7	Louisville, Ky	1874	Rev. T. O. Summers
8	Atlanta, Ga	1878	Rev. T. O. Summers
9	Nashville, Tenn	1882	Rev. T. O. Summers, John S. Martin
10	Richmond, Va	1886	John S. Martin
11	St. Louis, Mo	1890	Rev. W. P. Harrison
12	Memphis, Tenn	1894	Rev. W. P. Harrison

PLAN OF EPISCOPAL VISITATION, 1895-'96.

CONFERENCES	PLACE	DATE	BISHOP
Alabama	Troy	December 12	Galloway
Arkansas	Dardanelle	November 27	Haygood
Baltimore	Roanoke, Va	March 25	Hargrove
Brazil Mission	Sae Paulo	July 24	Granbery
Central Mexico	City of Mexico	October 10	Key
China Mission	Shanghai	October 10	Hendrix
Columbia	Oakland, Oregon	August 29	Wilson
Denver	Trinidad, Col	July 25	Hargrove
East Columbia	Milton, Oregon	August 15	Wilson
East Texas	Texarkana	December 18	Keener
Florida	Orlando	December 18	Granbery
German Mission	Houston, Tex	November 28	Key
Holston	Tazewell, Va	October 16	Haygood
Illinois	Clay City	October 9	Fitzgerald
Indian Mission	Ardmore, I. T.	October 31	Hargrove
Japan Mission	Kobe	August 29	Hendrix
Kentucky	Winchester	September 18	Haygood
Little Rock	Lonobe, Ark	December 11	Haygood
Los Angeles	Downey, Cal	September 26	Wilson
Louisiana	Jackson	December 11	Hendrix
Louisville	Madisonville, Ky	September 26	Haygood
Memphis	Union City, Tenn	November 13	Hargrove
Mexican Border	Laredo, Tex	November 14	Key
Mississippi	Yazoo City	December 4	Hendrix
Missouri	Macon	September 11	Duncan
Montana	Helena	August 31	Wilson
New Mexico	Deming	September 26	Key
North Alabama	Gadsden	November 21	Galloway
North Carolina	Elizabeth City	December 11	Wilson
North Georgia	Elberta	November 20	Keener
North Mississippi	Water Valley	November 27	Fitzgerald
North Texas	Gainesville	November 6	Duncan
Northwest Mexico	Chihuahua	October 3	Key
Northwest Texas	Temple	November 14	Duncan
Pacific	San Jose, Cal	October 9	Wilson
South Carolina	Rock Hill	December 4	Galloway
South Georgia	Fort Valley	December 4	Granbery
Southwest Missouri	Webb City	September 19	Duncan
St. Louis	Jackson, Ill	September 25	Galloway
Tennessee	Winchester	October 23	Wilson
Texas	Brenham	December 4	Keener
Virginia	Richmond	November 13	Galloway
Western	Atchison, Kan	September 12	Hargrove
Western N. Carolina	Reidsville	November 27	Duncan
West Texas	San Antonio	November 20	Key
Western Virginia	Louisa, Ky	September 4	Fitzgerald
White River	Searcy, Ark	December 11	Fitzgerald

# CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF MEMBERS.

1895.

*Clerical members* in the order of admission into full connection.

*Lay members* as elected by the District Conferences of 1895.

NO.	NAMES	DATE	NO.	NAMES	DATE
1	William G.E. Cunyningham	1845	67	John W. Carnes	1878
2	William Robeson	1846	68	John R. Walker	1878
3	John Alley	1847	69	Robert A. Owen	1879
4	Rufus M. Hickey	1847	70	George A. Maiden	1879
5	William H. Bates	1848	71	George W. Summers	1879
6	John H. Brunner	1849	72	John L. Prater	1879
7	William H. Kelley	1850	73	Eugene Blake	1880
8	Richard N. Price	1852	74	John C. Bays	1880
9	David Sullins	1852	75	Richard A. Kellev	1880
10	John Boring	1853	76	William A. Thomas	1880
11	Sewell Phillips	1853	77	Joseph F. Wampler	1880
12	James S. Kennedy	1854	78	Richard G. Waterhouse	1880
13	Mitchell P. Swaim	1855	79	William C. Faris	1882
14	Frank Richardson	1856	80	David McCracken	1882
15	Henry P. Waugh	1857	81	John E. Naff	1882
16	James A. Davis	1857	82	*James W. Belt	1884
17	Phillip S. Sutton	1857	83	*Alexander E. Woodward	1884
18	Landon C. Delashmit	1858	84	Lennuel M. Cartwright	1884
19	John R. Stradley	1858	85	Stephen S. Catron	1885
20	Thomas F. Glenn	1859	86	Henry C. Clemens	1885
21	William P. Doane	1861	87	Robert T. McDowell	1885
22	James Mahoney	1861	88	Thomas C. Shuler	1885
23	Fleming D. Crumley	1862	89	Benjamin T. Sharp	1885
24	Charles K. Miller	1862	90	James O. Straley	1886
25	Enoch W. Moore	1862	91	Samuel K. Byrd	1886
26	Levi K. Haynes	1863	92	James E. Bruce	1886
27	Benjamin F. Nuckolls	1863	93	John W. Browning	1886
28	Jacob R. Payne	1863	94	Rush F. Jackson	1886
29	Jacob Smith	1863	95	*Joseph B. Davis	1886
30	Henry C. Neal	1864	96	William M. Dyer	1887
31	Charles T. Carroll	1867	97	James A. Burrow	1887
32	J. Tyler Frazier	1867	98	Elijah F. Kahle	1887
33	John S. W. Neel	1868	99	Frank Alexander	1887
34	William W. Pyott	1868	100	*Philip P. Kinzer	1887
35	Kennerly C. Atkins	1869	101	Robert S. Umberger	1887
36	Daniel H. Carr	1869	102	Alfred B. Hunter	1888
37	Milton Clendenen	1869	103	John C. Orr	1888
38	Lennuel L. H. Carlock	1870	104	*Absolom D. Stewart	1888
39	E. Embree Hoss	1870	105	Eugene H. Cassidy	1888
40	William D. Mitchell	1870	106	James A. H. Shuler	1888
41	George D. French	1871	107	William R. Snider	1888
42	Thomas R. Handy	1871	108	†Samuel H. Hall	1888
43	William C. Carden	1872	109	William S. Neighbors	1889
44	Robert E. Smith	1872	110	Davidson V. York	1889
45	John H. Parrott	1873	111	William L. Jones	1889
46	John C. Runvan	1873	112	John A. L. Perkins	1889
47	Joseph A. Bilderback	1874	113	James R. Chambers	1889
48	Erastus H. Bogle	1874	114	John B. Simpson	1889
49	William H. Dawn	1874	115	George W. Pressley	1889
50	John H. Kennedy	1874	116	Joseph C. Maness	1889
51	Stephen T. M. McPherson	1874	117	Charles B. LeFev	1889
52	William H. Price	1874	118	Charles W. Kelly	1889
53	J. Wesley Smith	1874	119	Alfred H. Tow	1889
54	John M. Wolfe	1874	120	John A. Duval	1889
55	James I. Cash, Jr	1875	121	Samuel L. Houk	1889
56	Charles M. James	1875	122	*George W. Jackson	1889
57	Daniel S. Hearon	1875	123	†Samuel N. Barker	1889
58	Ayres Kincaid	1875	124	†John N. Hobbs	1890
59	John W. Robertson	1875	125	John Woolsey	1890
60	James K. Wolfe	1875	126	Joseph A. Darr	1890
61	Samuel S. Weatherly	1876	127	DeWitt C. Clendenen	1890
62	William D. Akers	1877	128	Joseph E. Lowry	1890
63	John R. Cunningham	1877	129	John P. Dickey	1890
64	William W. Hicks	1877	130	Thomas J. Eskridge	1891
65	John D. Hickson	1877	131	George D. Herman	1891
66	James A. Lyons	1877	132	Isaac P. Martin	1891

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CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL, 1895—Continued.

NO.	NAMES	DATE	NO.	NAMES	DATE
133	Charles L. Stradley	1891	160	†John H. Keith	1894
134	Isaac N. Munsey	1891	161	†Goodson M. F. Hampton	1894
135	†Albert L. Addington	1891	162	Murray D. Mitchell	1894
136	John B. Carnes	1891	163	John W. W. Shuler	1894
137	Charles R. Brown	1891	164	Jones F. Hash	1894
138	†William N. Wagner	1891	165	Cornelius M. Pickens	1894
138	James E. Swecker	1892	166	David P. Hurley	1894
139	W. Wisdom Newberry	1892	167	John W. Perry	1894
140	Tyler D. Strader	1892	168	W. White Newberry	1894
141	William E. Bailey	1892	169	John Stewart French	1895
142	Benjamin C. Horton	1892	170	Charles C. Cecil	1895
143	Lilburn H. Little	1892	171	Elbert S. Bettis	1895
144	Edward W. Mort	1892	172	Louis O. Adams	1895
145	Thomas H. Kinzer	1892	173	Joseph A. Baylor	1895
146	William J. Fogleman	1892	174	Charles C. Fisher	1895
147	John M. Romans	1892	175	John D. Dame	1895
148	Edward W. Walker	1892	176	John W. Taylor	1895
149	†Samuel D. Long	1892	177	Robert T. Webb	1895
150	†Arthur S. Thorn	1892	178	Barney Thompson	1895
151	†Henry D. Moore	1892	179	Elbert N. Woodward	1895
152	John M. Paxton	1893	180	Charles E. Steele	1895
153	Martin P. Carrico	1893	181	Will L. Sorrell	1895
154	Gorge M. Moreland	1893	182	Alfred N. Jackson	1895
155	William L. Patton	1893	183	Charles E. Bower	1895
156	George P. Draper	1893	184	†Edgar C. McVoy	1895
157	John M. Maiden	1893	185	§William S. Henderson	1895
158	James D. McAlister	1893	186	§James C. Wright	1895
159	Fletcher F. Threadgill	1893			

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LAY DELEGATES.

TAZEWELL DISTRICT

Isaac F. Stowers, Clear Fork Circuit.  
James W. Hicks, Graham Station.  
Thomas S. Gillespie, Cedar Bluff Cir.  
H. Wade Steel, Tazewell Station.

RADFORD DISTRICT

Arthur Roberts, Radford Station.  
Rev. J. D. Wright, Bluestone Circuit.  
A. J. Hearn, Bluefield Station.  
A. W. Williams, Concord Circuit.

WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT

C. A. Lambert, Mt. Airy Circuit.  
H. J. Crowgey, Wytheville Circuit.  
J. W. Perkins, Elk Creek Circuit.  
G. W. Moss, Sharon Spring Circuit.

ABINGDON DISTRICT

W. P. Dungan, Elizabethton Station.  
J. B. Hamilton, Abingdon Station.  
A. S. McNeil, Bristol Station.  
H. D. Hawk, Blountville Circuit.

BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT

J. W. Repass, Lebanon Circuit.  
J. L. Kelly, Big Stone Gap Station.  
J. A. G. Hyatt, Jonesville Circuit.  
J. M. Durham, Suckleyville Circuit.

MORRISTOWN DISTRICT

W. R. Reeves, Jonesboro Circuit.  
Rev. W. M. Patty, Parrottsville Circuit.  
M. J. B. Roberts, Morristown Station.  
L. D. Kenney, St. Clair Circuit.

KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

J. W. Trent, Strawberry Plains Circuit.  
Hugh Ault, Macedonia Circuit.  
Dr. E. Dickson, Coal Creek Station.  
W. P. Hickman, Broad Street Station.

CLEVELAND DISTRICT

Dr. Thomas Penland, London Circuit.  
W. D. Bowder, Lenoir Circuit.  
C. R. Love, Louisville Circuit.  
J. W. Clark, Sweetwater Circuit

CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

W. L. Sherman, St. Elmo Station.  
G. W. Moore, Cole City and Etna Circuit.  
J. W. Willingham, Ridgedale Station.  
R. P. Tatom, Trenton Circuit.

SEQUATCHEE DISTRICT

W. E. Stephens, Dayton Station.  
H. P. Farmer, Clinton Circuit.  
A. L. Pitts, Jasper Station.  
A. A. Spears, Jasper Station.

## OUR SAINTED DEAD.

“And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them.”—Rev. xiv., 13.

NO.	NAMES	BORN	ADMITTED ON TRIAL	DIED	YEARS EFFECTIVE CHARGES SERVED
1	George Atkin			1827	
2	James G. H. Spears		1822—Tennessee Conf.....	1833	
3	John Henniger		1811—Western	1838	
4	Thomas Wilkerson				
5	Mitchell Martin		1837—Western	1839	
6	Eli K. Hutsell	1815	1835—Holston	1842	
7	John Bowman	1773	1812—Tennessee	1847	
8	Oscar F. Cunningham	1813	1834—Tennessee	1848	12 10
9	David Fleming		1824—Holston		
10	James Y. Crawford		1823—Tennessee	1850	
11	James Dixon		1811—Western	1850	6 6
12	Ransom M. Moore		1849—Holston		
13	John Barringer		1827—Holston	1851	14 13
14	Leander W. Wilson	1816	1836—Holston	1851	13 13
15	David Adams	1798	1821—Tennessee	1853	
16	Samuel Patton	1797	1819—Tennessee	1854	35 16
17	Washington Boring		1822 1851—Holston	1854	3 3
18	Ulrich Kener	1801	1825—Holston	1856	
19	George Eakin		1811—Western	1856	31 23
20	Jesse Cunningham	1789	1811—Western	1856	9 6
21	John M. Varnell		1849—Holston	1857	7 7
22	Alfred M. Goodykoontz	1813	1838—Baltimore	1857	19 17
23	Thomas Stringfield		1796 1816—Tennessee	1858	37 22
24	Charles Mitchell		1814 1851—Holston	1858	7 7
25	Andrew Gass		1792 1843—Holston	1859	13 9
26	Robert Ganaway	1780	1827—Holston	1859	24 14
27	Creed Fulton		1823—Tennessee	1861	24 15
28	William K. Foster	1828	1853—Holston	1861	8 6
29	Elbert F. Sevier		1822—Tennessee	1862	25 15
30	Samuel A. Miller		1836—Holston	1863	12 12
31	W. W. Smith	1814	1851—Holston	1863	12 9
32	Rutus M. Stevens	1808	1859—Holston	1864	30 17
33	James R. Ballew	1836	1860—Holston	1864	4 3
34	George M. Proffitt		1858—Holston	1864	4 4
35	Edwin C. Wexler	1828	1850—Holston	1865	11 11
36	John D. Wagg	1835	1858—Holston	1866	5 5
37	Jesse G. Swisher		1844—Tennessee	1866	22 16
38	Daniel R. Reagan	1834	1859—Holston	1867	5 5
39	Thomas K. Catlett	1798	1825—Holston	1867	38 24
40	James K. Stringfield	1839	1853—Holston	1870	11 9
41	Thomas K. Munsey	1816	1840—Holston	1872	17 12
42	Joseph L. McGhee	1844	1869—Holston	1873	4 3
43	Samuel B. Harwell		1819—Tennessee	1874	7 6
44	Samuel Alexander	1836	1860—Missouri	1874	8 6
45	Edward F. Lyons	1836	1866—Tennessee	1874	5 4
46	E. Waverly Marsh	1847	1869—Holston	1874	4 3
47	Jacob Brillhart	1808	1848—Kentucky	1874	21 10
48	John M. Chrismord		1837—Holston	1875	37 35
49	George W. Martin	1821	1863—Holston	1875	12 6
50	Daniel B. Carter	1803	1827—Holston	1876	34 29
51	James W. Dickey	1829	1852—Holston	1876	24 14
52	John Reynolds	1797	1819—South Carolina	1876	28 28
53	Wiley B. Winton	1812	1833—Holston	1878	15 9
54	William W. Neal	1824	1846—Holston	1878	28 21
55	Carroll Long	1833	1845—Holston	1878	32 17
56	Leander W. Thompson	1849	1872—Holston	1878	6 5
57	Francis A. Farley		1860—Holston	1879	14 11

## OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued.

NO.	NAMES	BORN	ADMITTED ON TRIAL	DIED	YEARS EFFECTIVE CHARGES SERVED	
58	William M. Crawford	1842	1873—Holston	1880	6	4
59	Samuel S. Grant	1839	1859—Holston	1881	14	11
60	Elbert L. Barrett	1843	1872—Holston	1881	7	6
61	William Hicks	1811	1833—Holston	1882	34	22
62	Joseph Haskew	1797	1827—Holston	1882	31	17
63	William H. Barnes	1812	1838—North Carolina	1882	31	27
64	Henry B. Avery	1839	1860—Mississippi	1882	22	14
65	Andrew G. Blankenbeckler	1850	1877—Holston	1883	5	5
66	William B. Pickens	1845	1877—Holston	1883	6	5
67	John H. Robeson	1819	1870—North Georgia	1885		
68	Archibald T. Brooks	1817	1871—Holston	1885	11	7
69	James K. P. Ball	1844	1879—Holston	1885	5	4
70	John D. Baldwin	1818	1850—Holston	1885	26	19
71	Timothy Sullins	1812	1832—Holston	1885	13	8
72	William M. Bellamy	1847	1878—Holston	1886	8	4
73	Larkin W. Crouch	1816	—Holston		19	14
74	James T. Smith	1819	1847—Holston	1887	32	24
75	David R. Smith	1835	1868—Holston	1888	15	
76	John S. Bourne	1856	1881—Holston	1888	6	3
77	William L. Turner	1811	1837—Holston	1889	13	13
78	Samuel D. Gaines	1811	—Holston	1889	19	14
79	George W. Renfro	1823	1847—Holston	1889	13	12
80	Samuel R. Wheeler	1816	1861—Holston	1890	27	14
81	Dayton C. Horne	1857	1885—Holston	1890	5	3
82	George Stewart	1821	1851—Holston	1891	34	21
83	Andrew J. Frazier	1836	1860—Holston	1892	3	15
84	George W. Miles	1829	1854—Holston	1892	35	15
85	James N. S. Huffaker	1827	1846—Tennessee	1892	20	18
86	Thomas J. Pope	1817	1854—Holston	1892	9	9
87	William W. Witcher	1825	1849—Holston	1892	38	
88	John M. McTeer	1824	1847—Holston	1892	35	17
89	Ephraim E. Wiley	1814	1840—Holston	1893	17	12
90	Tobias F. Smyth	1837	1862—Holston	1893	17	2
91	John L. M. French	1838	1861—Holston	1893	32	25
92	Rufus W. Kite	1858	1884—Holston	1894	5	4
93	George W. K. Green	1831	1859—Holston	1894	20	12
94	Emory B. Robertson	1855	1878—Holston	1894	11	8
95	John R. Bellamy	1866	1891—Holston	1894	3	3
96	Riley A. Giddens	1818	1848—Holston	1895	14	12
97	Benjamin W. S. Bishop	1834	1856—Holston	1895	39	

## THE BISHOPS.

NO.	NAMES	BORN	ADMITTED ON TRIAL	MADE BISHOP DIED	
1	Henry B. Bascom	1796	1813—Ohio Conference	1850	1850
2	William Capers	1790	1808—South Carolina	1846	1855
3	Joshua Soule	1781	1799—New York	1824	1867
4	James O. Andrew	1794	1812—South Carolina	1832	1871
5	John Earley	1786	1807—Virginia	1854	1873
6	Enoch M. Marvin	1823	1841—Missouri	1866	1877
7	David S. Doggett	1810	1829—Virginia	1866	1880
8	Robert Payne	1799	1818—Tennessee	1846	1882
9	William M. Wightman	1808	1828—South Carolina	1866	1882
10	George O. Pierce	1811	1831—South Georgia	1854	1884
11	Hubbard H. Kavanaugh	1802	1823—Kentucky	1854	1884
12	Linus Parker	1829	1849—Louisiana	1882	1885
13	Holland N. McTycire	1824	1845—Virginia	1896	1889

# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

## FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, OCT., 16, 1895.

**Opening Session.**—The Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met in its seventy-second annual session at Tazewell, Va., October 16, 1895, at 9 o'clock A. M. In the absence of Bishop Haygood, who was to preside, D. Sullins was nominated by F. Richardson and elected temporary chairman. Dr. Sullins read the second chapter of II. Timothy, and, after the Conference sang "All hail the power of Jesus name," led in prayer.

**Roll Call.**—The Secretary of last year's session called the roll in chronological order, and the following members answered to their names: R. M. Hickey, R. N. Price, D. Sullins, M. P. Swaim, F. Richardson, H. P. Waugh, J. A. Davis, T. F. Glenn, J. Mahoney, E. W. Moore, L. K. Haynes, J. R. Payne, Jacob Smith, C. T. Carroll, J. T. Frazier, J. S. W. Neel, W. W. Pyott, K. C. Atkins, D. H. Carr, M. L. Clendenen, L. L. H. Carlock, W. D. Mitchell, G. D. French, T. R. Handy, W. C. Carden, R. E. Smith, J. A. Bilderback, J. H. Kennedy, S. T. M. McPherson, J. W. Smith, J. M. Wolfe, J. I. Cash, J. W. Robertson, J. K. Wolfe, W. D. Akers, W. W. Hicks, J. D. Hickson, J. A. Lyons, J. R. Walker, R. A. Owen, G. A. Maiden, Eugene Blake, R. A. Kelley, J. F. Wampler, R. G. Waterhouse, W. C. Faris, D. McCracken, J. E. Naff, L. M. Cartwright, S. S. Catron, H. C. Clemens, R. T. McDowell, T. C. Shuler, B. T. Sharp, J. O. Straley, J. E. Bruce, J. W. Browning, R. F. Jackson, J. B. Davis, W. M. Dyer, J. A. Burrow, P. P. Kinzer, R. S. Umberger, A. B. Hunter, J. C. Orr, E. H. Cassidy, J. A. H. Shuler, W. R. Snider, S. H. Hall, W. S. Neighbors, W. L. Jones, J. A. L. Perkins, J.

R. Chambers, G. W. Pressley, J. C. Maness, C. W. Kelly, J. A. Duvall, G. W. Jackson, S. N. Barker, J. E. Lowry, J. L. Prater, I. P. Martin, C. L. Stradley, I. N. Munsey, E. L. Addington, J. B. Carnes, C. R. Brown, J. E. Swecker, W. Wisdom Newberry, E. W. Mort, S. D. Long, J. M. Paxton, M. P. Carrico, G. M. Moreland, W. L. Patton, G. P. Draper, J. M. Maiden, J. D. McAlister, J. H. Keith, M. D. Mitchell, J. W. W. Shuler, J. F. Hash, C. M. Pickens, J. W. Perry, S. S. Weatherly, J. H. Keith.

**Lay Delegates.**—I. F. Stowers, J. W. Hicks, T. A. Gillespie, H. W. Steel, Arthur Roberts, G. A. Lambert, J. B. Hamilton, H. D. Hawk, J. W. Repass, M. J. B. Roberts, Hugh Ault, W. P. Hickman, J. W. Clark.

W. C. Greer takes place of J. W. Perkins, and H. B. Hull place of G. W. Moss, both from Wytheville District; J. F. Johnson takes place of J. L. Kelly, from Big Stone Gap District.

**Organization.**—After two ballots, D. Sullins was chosen permanent chairman, until the arrival of the Bishop. F. Richardson receiving the next highest number of votes. J. A. Burrow was re-elected Secretary, with J. C. Orr, assistant, and G. W. Jackson, Arthur Roberts and M. J. B. Roberts, statistical secretaries.

The Conference bar was fixed at far side of second window from the pulpit. The hours of meeting and adjournment were fixed at 9:00 A. M., and 12:30 P. M.

**Committees.**—The Presiding Elders reported the following standing committees, which report was adopted:

*Public Worship.*—W. W. Pyott, I. P. Martin, H. W. Steel, C. A. Fudge.

*Spiritual State of the Church.*—R. N. Price, E. N. Woodward, J. E. Lowry, W. P. Hickman, E. W. Mort, J. H. Keith, H. C. Clemens, J. A. H. Shuler, W. I Fogleman, D. V. York.

*Books and Periodicals.*—J. A. Lyons, J. K. Wolfe, J. W. Hicks, C. W. Kelly, H. J. Crowgey, M. D. Mitchell, E. H. Cassidy, Hugh Ault, J. W. Smith, D. C. Clendenen.

*District Conference Records.*—J. W. Robertson, W. L. Pat-

ton, Frank Jackson, S. H. George, J. R. Payne, W. P. Dungan, C. L. Stradley, Arthur Roberts, C. R. Brown, J. R. Walker.

*Memoirs.*—W. W. Pyott, E. E. Hoss, W. W. Hicks, D. Sullins, J. M. Wolfe.

*Church Property.*—J. R. Chambers, J. W. Trent, C. R. Love, John Boring, H. P. Farmer, J. E. Bruce, J. B. Simpson, A. J. Hearn, P. P. Kinzer, I. N. Munsey, A. S. McNeil.

*Bible Cause.*—J. M. Paxton, John Woolsey, J. F. Hash, J. W. Clark, J. B. Carnes, J. B. Hamilton, W. C. Greer, T. D. Strader, G. W. Pressley, S. K. Byrd.

*Temperance.*—T. J. Eskridge, F. Alexander, J. F. Johnson, T. A. Gillespie, J. W. Perry, G. A. Lambert, H. D. Hawk, J. F. Wampler, J. A. L. Perkins, J. A. Bilderback.

G. D. French announced that W. H. Price had been called to the bedside of a sick son in Union City, Tenn. The Conference was asked to remember them in prayer.

On motion of J. A. Burrow, the several Conference Boards were authorized to appropriate amounts aggregating \$50, to be used in publishing an enlarged edition of the "Holston Annual."

John W. Price, representing the Southern Methodist Publishing House, was introduced.

**Superannuated Preachers Referred.**—The following members passed examination of character, and were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated list: Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, H. P. Waugh, P. S. Sutton, J. N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, F. D. Crumley, W. H. Kelley, W. G. E. Cunyngnam. M. P. Swaim and J. M. Romans asked to be made effective, but consented that their names go before the committee. The cases of R. M. Hickey and W. P. Doane were postponed. J. W. Robertson was left effective. Some of these worn out brethren made talks that were touchingly tender, and that elicited sympathetic responses from the members of the Conference. The chairman



voiced the sentiment of all in warm and appropriate words of love.

**Telegrams.**—W. W. Pyott read telegrams announcing the partial paralysis of Bishop Haygood, and the coming of Bishop Duncan.

**Announcements.**—The Committee on Public Worship announced that R. M. Hickey would preach at 3 o'clock, and F. Richardson at 7, the latter being the Conference sermon.

W. E. Bailey was substituted for Arthur Roberts on Committee on District Conference Records, and E. L. Addington for D. V. York on Committee on Spiritual State of the Church.

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That we have heard with profound sorrow of the severe illness of our dear Bishop Haygood, whom we had hoped would be with us on this occasion to preside over this Conference, and that we extend to him our sincerest Christian sympathy and prayers, and assure him of our heartfelt love, praying the Great Head of the Church that he may soon be restored to his wonted health and usefulness.

K. C. ATKINS.

T. R. HANDY,

G. D. FRENCH.

The Secretary was instructed to telegraph the substance of this resolution to Bishop Haygood at once.

**Supernumerary Preachers Referred.**—The following members passed examination of character, and were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary list: W. H. Dawn, J. R. Cunningham, J. H. Brunner, B. F. Nuckolls, Sewell Phillips, J. R. Stradley, J. A. Davis, John Alley, J. R. Payne, J. P. Dickey, J. B. Davis. C. K. Miller passed examination of character, and was referred for the superannuated relation. The case of T. H. Kinzer was postponed.

**Announcements.**—J. A. G. Hyatt, delegate from Big Stone Gap District, and H. J. Crowgey, from the Wytheville District, were reported present.

J. M. Follansbee, of the Baltimore Conference, D. A. Glenn, pastor Baptist Church, Tazewell, and Thos. Mowbray, of the Presbyterian Church, were introduced.

Adjourned with the doxology and benediction.

## SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1895.

The Conference met at 9:10 A. M., with Bishop W. W. Duncan in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by R. N. Price. The minutes of the preceding session were read, slightly corrected, and approved.

**Roll Call.**—The roll call of absentees showed the following additional members present: J. S. Kennedy, F. D. Crumley, E. H. Bogle, G. W. Summers, J. W. Belt, S. K. Byrd, J. B. Simpson, S. E. Houk, D. C. Clendenen, T. J. Eskridge, W. N. Wagner, T. D. Strader, W. E. Bailey, T. H. Kinzer, W. I. Fogleman, H. D. Moore, W. White Newberry.

*Lay Delegates.*—A. J. Hearn, H. J. Crowgey, J. A. L. Hyatt, W. D. Browder, C. R. Love. Further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

**Communications.**—A communication was received from our Publishing House and referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals. Communications were received from the Parent Boards of Missions and Church Extension, read and referred to the Conference Boards of Missions and of Church Extension.

**Visitors Introduced.**—Dr. D. Morton, Corresponding Secretary of Church Extension, Dr. W. R. Lambuth, Secretary of Missions, and Dr. R. J. Bigham, Secretary of Education, were introduced.

**Presiding Elders Report.**—Question 20—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" The Presiding Elders, J. T. Frazier, W. W. Pyott, J. S. W. Neel, G. D. French, J. H. Kennedy, C. T. Carroll, W. W. Hicks, T. R. Handy, K. C. Atkins, and R. A. Owen, made brief reports of the work in their districts, and passed examination of character.

**Treasurers.**—J. W. Browning was elected treasurer of the American Bible Society fund. The Board of Education announced that R. G. Waterhouse, treasurer, would receive all monies for the Educational fund

**Deacons for One Year.**—Question 7—“Who are the deacons for one year?” The following persons passed examination of character and course of study, and were advanced to the class of the fourth year: Murray D. Mitchell, John W. W. Shuler, Jones F. Hash, Cornelius M. Pickens, David P. Hurley, John W. Perry, W. White Newberry, James D. McAlister John M. Maiden.

**Local Preachers Elected Deacons**—Question 10—“What local preachers are elected deacons?” The following persons having been duly recommended by their District Conferences, were elected to deacon's orders: Radford District—Charles W. Stuart, John B. Peery; Tazewell District—William K. Neel; Wytheville District—Stephen W. Bourne; Big Stone Gap District—Henderson K. Hillman; Cleveland District—Joel M. Carter, William P. Blevins.

**Local Elders.**—Question 14—“What local preachers are elected elders?” None.

**Remain on Trial.**—Question 2—“Who remain on trial?” The following persons, having passed satisfactory examination on course of study and character, were continued on trial, and advanced to the class of the second year: Gasper A. Carner, David E. Hawk, Wheeler M. Morrell, Joel M. Carter, Sydney B. Vaught, James W. Repass, Roby K. Sutherland, John L. Weber, William P. Blevins. William C. Hicks passed examination of character, and was continued on trial in class of the first year.

**Conference Fund.**—L. L. H. Carlock, Conference Treasurer, stated that the Conference fund for claimants, as he had found it, consisted of two unsecured notes, one on Rev. Grinsfield Taylor, deceased, and the other on Dr. J. F. Atlee, of Chattanooga. The treasurer further stated that he had been in correspondence with

the family of Brother Taylor, and the lawyers controlling the estate, who expressed a willingness to do all in their power to meet the obligation. Also that he had secured a renewal of Dr. Atlee's note, but still without collateral. On motion of C. T. Carroll a committee of three was ordered to investigate matters, and report some plan of action to the Conference. The Bishop appointed D. Sullins, F. Richardson, R. N. Price.

**Public Worship.**—The Committee on Public Worship announced that J. H. Keith would preach at 3:00 o'clock, and that the Board of Church Extension would hold its anniversary service at 7:00, to be addressed by Dr. David Morton and Bishop Duncan.

**Supernumerary.**—Benjamin C. Horton, Geo. D. Herman, and F. M. Grace, passed examination of character, and were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary list.

J. A. Darr and W. P. Doane passed examination of character, and were referred to the same committee for a superannuated relation.

R. M. Hickey and T. H. Kinzer passed examination of character and were left effective.

**Announcements.**—Rev. W. B. Gale takes place of delegate W. P. Dungan from the Abingdon District. G. W. Summers was substituted for J. A. Lyon as chairman of the Committee on Books and Periodicals. G. M. Moreland was put on Board of Church Extension in place of J. W. Browning.

Adjourned in due form.

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### THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, OCT. 18, 1895.

The Conference convened at 9:15 A. M., with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The devotional exercise was conducted by H. P. Waugh. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

**Communications.**—Communications were received from

Paine and Lane Institutes, read by the secretary, and referred to the Board of Education.

**Deacons Elected.**—Question 8.—“What traveling preachers are elected deacons?” The following persons passed examinations of course of study and character, and were elected to deacon's orders: John Stewart French, Charles E. Bower, Joseph A. Baylor, Louis O. Adams, Alfred N. Jackson, Will L. Sorrell.

The following deacons passed examinations of studies and character, and were advanced to the class of the third year: Elbert S. Bettis, John W. Taylor, Barney Thompson, Charles C. Fisher, Elbert N. Woodward, John D. Dame, Charles C. Cecil, Charles E. Steele, Robert T. Webb.

The following persons passed examination of character, and were continued on trial in class of the second year: Robert M. Walker, Frank Jackson, John B. Frazier, J. D. Akers, Pharoah L. Cobb.

Lee R. Huddleston passed examination of character, and was continued on trial in class of the first year.

On motion of J. T. Frazier, the Bishop was asked to appoint P. L. Cobb to Vanderbilt University

**Public Worship.**—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcements: Preaching at the Presbyterian Church at 11 this morning by J. L. Weber; at the Methodist Church this afternoon at 3, by W. S. Neighbors; Educational anniversary address to-night by Dr. R. J. Bigham, Secretary of Education.

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That it is the sense of this Conference, in view of the great number of Hungarians, Italians, and others, who do not understand our language, and whom our preachers can not reach, not understanding their language, that the General Board of Missions be requested to take into consideration the advisability of making an appropriation to this field that missionaries may be sent there.

W. W. HICKS,  
W. W. PYOTT,  
J. T. FRAZIER,  
T. R. HANDY.

**Report on Conference Fund**—The special committee on Conference Fund made the following report:

Your committee appointed to look into the condition of Conference Fund in Florida, and advise what is best to be done, suggest that the trustee, Dr. Carlock, be sent there, with authority to represent the Conference, to close up the matter so as to save the fund, or as much of it as possible, on his best judgment, expenses to be paid by the Conference. D. SULLINS, for the Committee.

**Parchments Returned.**—The parchments of Rev. W. B. Rush, deceased, were returned to the Conference, in conformity to his wishes.

**Remain on Trial.**—Question 2.—“Who remain on trial? The following persons passed examinations of studies and character, were continued on trial, and advanced to the class of the second year: Michael J. Wysor, Thomas F. Suthers, John W. Rader, William C. Crockett, James E. Spring, G. S. Wood.

H. A. True passed examination of character, and was continued in class of the first year.

**Discontinued**—E. C. Rodefer, B. A. Hall, and J. B. Cross, passed examination of character, and were discontinued at their own request.

**Report.**—The Board of Church Extension submitted report No. 1, which was adopted. See appendix “A.”

**Letter Read.**—A letter to Bishop Haygood from W. S. Hornbuckle, a preacher in Montana, was read, and a collection taken for the brother, which amounted to \$43.00.

**Elders Elected.**—Question 12.—“What traveling preachers are elected elders?” The following persons passed examinations of studies and character, and were elected to elder’s orders: John M. Paxton, George M. Moreland, William L. Patton, William E. Bailey, Martin P. Carico, Edgar C. McVoy.

John Woolsey, an elder, passed examinations of studies and character.

Fletcher F. Threadgill, Edward W. Walker, William L. Jones, George D. Herman, and George B. Draper, passed

examination of character, and were continued in class of the fourth year.

**Transfer.**—The transfer of Edgar C. McVoy, from the North Texas Conference was announced.

**Telegram.**—A telegram from B. W. Fielder, a former Holston man, now in Missouri, was received, expressing sympathy in the death of B. W. S. Bishop.

After announcements, the Conference adjourned with the doxology and benediction.

#### FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19, 1895.

The Conference met at 9 A. M., with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by J. B. Carnes. The minutes of the preceding session were read, corrected and approved.

Charles E. Painter passed examination of studies and character, was continued on trial, and advanced to the class of the second year.

**Resolution** — The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Joint Board of Finance be requested to investigate and report to the Conference as early as possible as to how the funds belonging to this Conference are invested and secured.

W. W. PYOTT,

C. T. CARROLL,

K. C. ATKINS.

**Passage of Character.**—Question 20—“Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?” The following members passed examination of character, most of whom were present to make brief reports of their work: W. M. Dyer, W. H. Price, S. S. Weatherly, J. I. Cash, J. C. Orr, H. D. Moore, F. Richardson, G. W. Summers, J. P. McFerrin, F. Alexander, A. H. Tow, L. L. H. Carlock, D. Sullins, G. W. Jackson, J. A. Burrow, J. S. Kennedy, W. D. Akers, J. H. Parrott, S. H. Hall, J. R. Walker, W. N. Wagner, G. A. Maiden, E. W. Moore, S. D. Long, P. P. Kinzer, J. C. Maness, C. W. Kelly, E. F.

Kahle, R. A. Kelly, G. W. Pressley, W. I. Fogleman, I. P. Martin, J. E. Naff, C. R. Brown, S. E. Houk, D. H. Carr, W. D. Mitchell, James Mahoney, C. S. Stradley, J. H. Keith, M. L. Clendenen, R. G. Waterhouse, S. N. Barker, J. W. Carnes. D. S. Hearon, E. L. Addington, I. N. Munsey, J. O. Straley, D. V. York, W. S. Neighbors, J. D. Hickson, J. F. Wampler, E. W. Mort, E. E. Hoss, J. E. Swecker, T. F. Glenn, H. C. Neal, B. F. Sharp, W. Wisdom Newberry, J. A. Bilderback, J. A. Lyons, J. A. L. Perkins, W. A. Thomas, A. Kincaid, G. M. F. Hampton, J. W. Browning, C. B. LeFew, T. J. Eskridge, R. N. Price, John Boring, R. T. McDowell, D. C. Clendenen, W. R. Snider, C. M. James, A. D. Stewart, L. M. Cartwright, W. C. Faris, S. T. M. McPherson, J. M. Wolfe, J. C. Runyan, E. H. Bogle, E. H. Cassidy, J. B. Carnes, J. E. Bruce, R. S. Umberger, J. K. Wolfe, D. McCracken, R. E. Smith, S. K. Byrd, J. R. Chambers, A. B. Hunter, H. C. Clemens, J. A. Duvall, R. F. Jackson, J. B. Simpson, Eugene Blake, T. C. Shuler, J. A. H. Shuler, J. L. Prater, T. D. Strader, J. W. Smith, S. S. Catron, J. E. Lowry.

The Secretary was asked to note the presence of delegate S. H. George in place of J. W. Trent, from the Knoxville District. Also F. M. Williams from the Radford District.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Dr. Bigham would preach at the Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock.

On motion of J. T. Frazier it was decided to hold an afternoon session, meeting at 3:30 o'clock.

A communication from Hiwassee College was referred to the Board of Education.

L. H. Little passed examination of character, and was continued in the class of the third year.

J. C. Bays passed examination of character, and was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary list.

R. M. Hickey was referred to the same committee for the superannuated relation.



A communication from Dr. W. D. Kirkland, Sunday School Editor, was referred to the Sunday School Board.

On motion of E. E. Hoss, the Bishop was directed to give B. O. Davis a certificate of location, which relation was granted by the Conference some years ago.

**Admitted into Full Connection.**—Question 4.—“Who are admitted into full connection?” The following persons were called before the chancel, impressively addressed by Bishop Duncan, and, by vote of the Conference, admitted into full connection: John Stewart French, Charles C. Cecil, Elbert S. Bettis, Louis O. Adams, Joseph A. Baylor, Charles C. Fisher, John D. Dame, John W. Taylor, Robert T. Webb, Barney Thompson, Elbert N. Woodward, Charles E. Steele, Will L. Sorrell, Alfred N. Jackson, Charles E. Bower.

After announcements, the Conference adjourned with the doxology and benediction.

#### FOURTH DAY—Afternoon Session.

The Conference met at 3:30 P. M., with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by James Mahoney. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

**Admitted on Trial.**—Question 1.—“Who are admitted on trial?” The following persons, having been duly recommended by their several District Conferences, and having passed an examination in the prescribed course of study, were, by vote of the Conference, admitted into the traveling connection on trial: From the Radford District, John C. Cook, John B. Peery; Tazewell District, John B. Ward; Wytheville District, William H. Troy, Stephen W. Bourne; Abingdon District, Frank T. McCary; Big Stone Gap District, John W. Christian. William A. Goodpasture was rejected.

On motion of J. T. Frazier the presiding elder was given permission to employ W. A. Goodpasture as a supply.

**Missionary Women.**—A communication from Mrs. R.

G. Waterhouse, Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Holston Conference, was read by the secretary, and referred to the Board of Missions.

A communication from Mrs. R. K. Hargrove, General Secretary of the Parsonage and Home Mission Society, was read. Mrs. E. E. Wiley, at the invitation of the Bishop, made an earnest talk to the Conference on the line of ministerial co-operation with the women.

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That we pledge our hearty, earnest, and undivided support to Mrs. E. E. Wiley, in the great work of Parsonage and Home Mission Societies, and that we will oppose these societies becoming localized.

W. W. PYOTT,

W. WISDOM NEWBERRY.

**Superannuated Preachers.**—The Committee on Conference Relations recommended the following persons for the superannuated list: Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, H. P. Waugh, P. S. Sutton, J. N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, F. D. Crumley, W. H. Kelley, W. G. E. Cunningham, C. K. Miller, J. A. Darr, W. P. Doane, R. M. Hickey.

In the cases of M. P. Swaim and J. M. Romans, the committee recommended non-concurrence. Report adopted.

**Supernumerary Preachers.**—The committee also reported the following persons for the supernumerary relation: W. H. Dawn, J. R. Cunningham, J. H. Brunner, B. F. Nuckolls, Sewell Phillips, J. R. Stradley, J. A. Davis, John Alley, J. R. Payne, J. P. Dickey, B. C. Horton, G. D. Herman, F. M. Grace, J. C. Bays.

In the case of J. B. Davis, the Committee recommended non-concurrence. Report adopted.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Rev. J. O. Straley would preach at the Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock; Rev. W. M. Dyer at North Tazewell at 7; Mass-meeting in Methodist Church at 7:30.

**Reports.**—The Committee on District Conference Records submitted their report, which was adopted. See Appendix "B."

The Board of Church Extension submitted Report No. 2, which was adopted. See Appendix "A."

**Duplicate Certificate.**—On motion of John Boring, Bishop Duncan was authorized to issue to William Howell a duplicate certificate of elder's orders, the original having been granted by Bishop Early in 1859.

**Public Worship.**—The Committee on Public Worship made the following announcements for Sunday:

**METHODIST CHURCH.**—Sunday 9 A. M., Lovefeast, led by J. S. W. Neel; 11 A. M., preaching by Bishop Duncan; 3 P. M., ordination of elders, Dr. E. E. Hoss; 7:30 P. M., Memorial Service.

**NORTH TAZEWELL.**—Sunday 9 A. M., Lovefeast, led by J. B. Carnes; 11 A. M., preaching by J. T. Frazier; 7:30, preaching by J. S. W. Neel.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**—Saturday, 7:30 P. M., preaching by J. A. Lyons; Sunday, 11 A. M., preaching by H. D. Moore; 7:30 P. M., preaching by J. A. Burrow; 3 P. M., Children's Missionary Sermon by Dr. Lambuth.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Sunday 11 A. M., preaching by Dr. C. T. Carroll; 7:30 P. M., preaching by T. J. Eskridge.

**CHRISTIAN BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Sunday, 11 A. M., preaching by T. R. Handy; 7:30 P. M., preaching by A. N. Jackson.

**NEGRO METHODIST CHURCH.**—Sunday, 11 A. M., preaching by S. B. Vaught; 3 P. M., preaching by J. B. Ward; 7:30 P. M., preaching by J. D. McAlister.

Adjourned in due form, to meet in Memorial Service at 7:30 Sunday evening, in this Church.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The Conference met in Memorial Service at 7:30 Sunday evening, with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The opening devotions were conducted by J. S. Kennedy.

E. E. Hoss read a memoir of B. W. S. Bishop; T. R. Handy, of R. A. Giddens; J. M. Wolfe, of C. A. Murphy; W. W. Hicks, of Mrs. G. W. Summers.

A. B. Hunter and Eugene Blake sang "Death is only a dream." Touching remarks were made by James Mahoney, E. E. Hoss, J. H. Kennedy, J. T. Frazier, J. I. Cash, E. W. Moore, W. W. Pyott, W. C. Carden, J. S. Kennedy, John Boring, G. W. Jackson, W. W. Hicks, J. M. Wolfe, G. D. French.

A. B. Hunter and Eugene Blake sang "We are sailing o'er the sea."

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, death, in the last few weeks, has claimed as its victim Mrs. Mary Gillespie Steele, the beloved wife of H. Wade Steele, a lay member of this Conference; and,

WHEREAS, Sister Steele looked forward with so much interest and pleasure to this annual gathering, fondly hoping to see, to entertain and to enjoy the presence, in her own home, of her ministers whom she loved so well, therefore,

*Resolved*, That we tender to Brother Steele and little boys, our sympathy in this greatest of griefs and deepest of sorrows, and pray for them the sustaining grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

W. W. PYOTT,  
G. W. JACKSON.

## SIXTH DAY.

MONDAY, Oct. 21, 1895.

The Conference met at 9 a. m., with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by J. T. Frazier. The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

**Ordinations.**—Bishop Duncan announced that he had, on the Sabbath, ordained the following persons as traveling deacons: John Stewart French, Charles E. Bower, Joseph A. Baylor, Louis O. Adams, Alfred N. Jackson, Will L. Sorrell.

Also the following persons as local deacons: Charles W. Stuart, John B. Peery, William K. Neel, Stephen W. Bourne, Henderson K. Hillman, Joel M. Carter, William P. Blevins.

Also the following persons as traveling elders: John M. Paxton, William L. Patton, George M. Moreland, William E. Bailey, Martin P. Carico, Edgar C. McVoy.

**Reconsideration.**—On motion of W. W. Hicks the report of the Committee on Conference Relations was reconsidered. An amendment was offered that M. P. Swaim be given the superannuated relation. The amendment was adopted, and the report adopted as a whole.

**Discontinued.**—G. S. Wood was discontinued at his own request.

**Received from M. E. Church.**—Wm. H. Henderson, a deacon from the M. E. Church, was, by vote of the Conference, and the taking of ordination vows, without re-imposition of hands, received into the Conference and placed in the class of the third year.

**Orphanage.**—Bishop Duncan, by request of Mrs. Wiley, appointed the following members of the Conference as directors in Orphanage Board: W. W. Pyott, C. T. Carroll, K. C. Atkins. Assistant Financial Agent, J. D. McAlister.

**Reports.**—The Committee on Books and Periodicals submitted their report, which was discussed by E. E. Hoss and T. F. Glenn, and adopted. See Appendix "C."

The Joint Board of Finance submitted a report concerning the investment of Conference Funds, which was adopted. See Appendix "D."

On motion of C. T. Carroll, the Joint Board was instructed to furnish L. L. H. Carlock with \$50.00 for expenses to Florida to look after securing a part of our Conference Fund.

**Orphanage.**—Mrs. E. E. Wiley addressed the Conference in the interest of the Holston Orphanage.

The following resolution was adopted:

In view of the vast importance of the Orphan's Home and Training School, authorized by this Conference, and inaugurated by the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society at this Conference, and which, by a com-

mittee duly appointed, has been located at Greeneville, Tenn., *Resolved*, That we set apart the Sunday preceding Christmas of each year as Orphanage Day in all our Sunday Schools, in which collections shall be taken for the benefit of this institution.

C. T. CARROLL,  
K. C. ATKINS.

**Reports.**—The Board of Missions submitted their report, which was, at request of the chairman, re-committed for slight correction.

On motion of J. T. Frazier, Bishop Duncan was requested to appoint J. C. Cook a student to Emory and Henry College.

The Committee on Church Property submitted their report, which was adopted. See Appendix "E."

The Board of Education submitted Report No. 1, which was slightly amended. Discussed by R. G. Waterhouse, D. S. Hearon, S. N. Barker, C. C. Fisher, H. B. Hull. Pending discussion, the Conference adjourned to meet at 3:30 this afternoon.

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#### SIXTH DAY—Afternoon Session.

The Conference met at 3:30 P. M., with Bishop Duncan in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by H. D. Moore. The minutes of the morning session were read, corrected and approved.

**Education.**—Report No. 1 of the Board of Education was again taken up. An amendment looking to an immediate plan of action relating to Martha Washington and Sullins Colleges was laid on the table. The report was then slightly amended, and adopted. See Appendix "F."

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:  
*Resolved*, That we heartily approve of the plan proposed by the Trustees of Emory and Henry College for paying the debt, and promise to R. G. Waterhouse a welcome to our charges, and our hearty co operation in his work.

E. W. MOORE,  
K. C. ATKINS.

**Re-admitted**—I. H. Hoskins was re-admitted into the traveling connection, by vote of the Conference.

**Admitted from M. E. Church.**—J. C. Wright, of the M. E. Church, having subscribed to our ordination vows, was, by vote of the Conference, admitted into the traveling connection.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of J. T. Frazier it was decided that when we adjourn it be to meet at 7:30 to-night.

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That each one of the Board of Trustees controlling our schools be instructed, at the close of each scholastic year, to appoint a competent auditing committee, whose duty it shall be to look carefully into the financial operations and conditions of the several schools they control, and report to this Conference at its ensuing session.

F. RICHARDSON,  
E. E. HOSS.

**Reports.**—The Board of Education submitted Report No. 2, which was adopted. See Appendix "F."

C. C. Fisher and J. E. Naff were added to the Board of Education.

**Reports.**—The following report of a special committee was adopted:

At the last session of this body action was taken requesting the pastor and Quarterly Conference of the Abingdon Station to have removed the remains of George Atkins, A. M. Goodykoontz, and Thomas Wilkerson, to the Sinking Springs Cemetery, and report expenses to this session of the Annual Conference. The Committee reports that the work has been attended to, as requested, without expense to this body.

W. M. DYER,  
J. B. HAMILTON,  
C. C. FISHER.

The Joint Board of Finance submitted Reports 1, 2 and 3, which were adopted.

Adjourned with the doxology and benediction until 7:30 to-night.

### SIXTH DAY—Night Session

The Conference met at 7:30 P. M., with Dr. J. S. Kennedy in the chair, by appointment of Bishop Duncan. The devotional service was conducted by H. C. Neal. The minutes of the afternoon session were read, corrected, and approved.

**Committee on Titles.**—The chairman announced the following special committee on college titles: G. E. Penn, of Abingdon, Va.; H. G. Peters, of Bristol, Tenn., J. C. Woodward, of Fountain City, Tenn.

**Reports.**—The Committee on Spiritual State of the Church submitted their report, which was adopted by a standing vote, and the singing of the long metre doxology. The editor of the *Holston Methodist* was requested to publish the report in his columns. See appendix "H."

The Board of Missions submitted their report, which was adopted. See Appendix "I."

The Committee on Temperance submitted their report, which was adopted. See Appendix "J."

The Committee on Bible Cause submitted their report, which was adopted. See Appendix "K."

The Sunday School Board submitted their report, which was discussed by W. D. Akers, T. C. Shuler, R. T. McDowell, R. G. Waterhouse, E. W. Moore, and J. A. Burrow, and adopted. See Appendix "L."

On motion of R. N. Price, the treasurers of the different Conference Boards were directed to compare the reports from pastoral charges with those made to the statistical secretaries, and, where discrepancies are discovered, write to the preachers in charge for explanation, and report to our next annual Conference.

**Resolution of Thanks.**—The following resolution was adopted by a standing vote:

*Resolved,* That we as a Conference hereby express our sincerest thanks to the kind Christian citizens of Tazewell and vicinity for their genuine and most liberal hospitality; also to the Clinch Valley Bank for numerous courtesies and accommodations; also the various rail-



road authorities for reduced rates and other favors; and to all the pastors who have so kindly extended to us the use of their houses of worship.

C. C. FISHER,  
J. I. CASH.

J. W. Perry was placed on the Board of Church Extension in place of R. A. Kelley, resigned.

A vote of thanks was extended to the secretaries for their services.

**Place of Next Meeting.**—Question 40.—“Where shall the next Conference be held?” Cleveland, Bristol, and Athens were placed in nomination. After a few short talks, Bristol and Athens were withdrawn, and Cleveland was unanimously chosen by a standing vote.

The publisher of “Holston Annual” submitted an itemized report of the edition of '94.

At this juncture Bishop Duncan came in and took the chair. The minute statistical questions were asked and properly answered.

The Bishop announced the following Joint Board of Finance for 1896:

*Clerical.*—R. A. Kelly, D. H. Carr, J. W. Taylor, E. H. Bogle, J. W. Browning, R. T. McDowell, D. V. York, J. B. Carnes, J. R. Chambers, S. T. M. McPherson.

*Lay*—G. W. Moore, A. L. Pitts, S. Longley, C. A. Fudge, H. B. Hull, J. B. Hamilton, J. F. Johnson, E. C. Reeves, W. P. Hickman, W. D. Browder.

The transfer of W. P. Evans from the Memphis Conference was announced.

The minutes of the night session were read and approved.

After devotional service the Bishop made a spicy talk, and then read the appointments.

## MINUTE QUESTIONS.

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QUESTION I.—Who are admitted on trial?

*Answer.*—John C. Cook, John B. Peery, John B. Ward, William H. Troy, Stephen W. Bourne, Frank T. McCary, John W. Christian.

QUESTION II.—Who remain on trial?

*Answer.*—In class of first year: Wm. C. Hicks, Lee R. Huddleston, H. A. True.

In class of second year: Gasper A. Carner, David E. Hawk, Wheeler M. Morrell, Joel M. Carter, Sydney B. Vaught, James W. Repass, Roby K. Sutherland, John L. Weber, William P. Blevins, Michael J. Wysor, John B. Frazier, Frank Jackson, J. D. Akers, Pharoah L. Cobb, Wm. C. Crockett, John W. Rader, Robert M. Walker, Charles E. Painter, Thomas F. Suthers, James E. Spring.

QUESTION III.—Who are discontinued?

*Answer.*—E. C. Rodefer, Benjamin A. Hall, John B. Cross, and G. S. Wood, all at their own request.

QUESTION IV.—Who are admitted into full connection?

*Answer.*—John Stewart French, Charles C. Cecil, Elbert S. Bettis, Louis O. Adams, Joseph A. Baylor, Charles C. Fisher, John D. Dame, John W. Taylor, Robert T. Webb, Barney Thompson, Elbert N. Woodward, Charles E. Steele, Will L. Sorrell, Alfred N. Jackson, Charles E. Bower. A. S. Thorn, Wm. H. Henderson and L. H. Little remain in class of the third year.

QUESTION V.—Who are re-admitted?

*Answer.*—I. H. Hoskins.

QUESTION VI.—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

*Answer.*—E. C. McVoy, from North Texas Conference; W. P. Evans, from the Memphis Conference.

QUESTION VII.—Who are the deacons of one year?

*Answer.*—Murray D. Mitchell, John W. W. Shuler, Jones F. Hash, Cornelius M. Pickens, David P. Hurley, John W. Perry, W. White Newberry, James D. McAlister, John M. Maiden, L. H. Little, Fletcher F. Threadgill, Edward W. Walker, William L. Jones, Geo. D. Herman, Geo. P. Draper.

QUESTION VIII.—What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer.*—John Stewart French, Charles E. Bower, Joseph A. Baylor, Louis O. Adams, Alfred N. Jackson, Will L. Sorrell.

QUESTION IX.—What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer.*—John Stewart French, Charles E. Bower, Joseph A. Baylor, Louis O. Adams, Alfred N. Jackson, Will L. Sorrell.

QUESTION X.—What local preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer.*—Charles W. Stuart, John B. Peery, William K. Neel, Stephen W. Bourne, Henderson K. Hillman, Joel M. Carter, William P. Blevins.

QUESTION XI.—What local preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer.*—Charles W. Stuart, John B. Peery, William K. Neel, Stephen W. Bourne, Henderson K. Hillman, Joel M. Carter, William P. Blevins.

QUESTION XII.—What traveling preachers are elected elders?

*Answer.*—John M. Paxton, William L. Patton, George M. Moreland, William E. Bailey, Martin P. Carico, Edgar C. McVoy.

QUESTION XIII.—What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer.*—John M. Paxton, William L. Patton, George M. Moreland, William E. Bailey, Martin P. Carico, Edgar C. McVoy.

QUESTION XIV.—What local preachers are elected elders?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION XV.—What local preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION XVI.—Who are located this year?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION XVII.—Who are supernumerary?

*Answer.*—W. H. Dawn, J. R. Cunningham, J. H. Brunner, B. F. Nuckolls, Sewell Phillips, J. R. Stradley, J. A. Davis, John Alley, J. R. Payne, J. P. Dickey, B. C. Horton, G. D. Herman, F. M. Grace, J. C. Bays.

QUESTION XVIII.—Who are superannuated?

*Answer.*—Wm. Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, H. P. Waugh, P. S. Sutton, R. M. Hickey, John N. Hobbs, Jacob Smith, W. H. Bates, L. K. Haynes, F. D. Crumley, W. H. Kelley, W. G. E. Cunyngnam, C. K. Miller, J. A. Darr, W. P. Doane.

QUESTION XIX.—What preachers have died during the year?

*Answer.*—Riley A. Giddens, Benjamin W. S. Bishop.

QUESTION XX.—Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

*Answer.*—Their names were called one by one in open Conference, and their characters passed.

QUESTION XXI.—What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference?

*Answer.*—Local preachers, 259; members, 52,677.

QUESTION XXII.—How many infants have been baptized during the year?

*Answer.*—1,116.

QUESTION XXIII.—How many adults have been baptized during the year?

*Answer.*—2,329.

QUESTION XXIV.—What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

*Answer.*—123.

QUESTION XXV.—What is the number of Epworth League members?

*Answer.*—3,969.

QUESTION XXVI.—What is the number of Sunday Schools?

*Answer.*—618.

QUESTION XXVII.—What is the number of Sunday School teachers?

*Answer.*—4,651.

QUESTION XXVIII.—What is the number of Sunday School scholars?

*Answer.*—39,735.

QUESTION XXIX.—What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

*Answer.*—\$5,500.

QUESTION XXX.—What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

*Answer.*—\$2,850.80. See Appendix "G."

QUESTION XXXI.—What has been contributed for missions?

*Answer.*—Foreign, \$5,018.80; domestic, \$3,908.01.

QUESTION XXXII.—What has been contributed for church Extension?

*Answer.*—\$1,658.28.

QUESTION XXXIII.—What has been done for the American Bible Society?

*Answer.*—\$141.89.

QUESTION XXXIV.—What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?

*Answer.*—Presiding elders, \$9,750.44; preacher in charge, \$65,124.28.

QUESTION XXXV.—What has been contributed for the support of Bishops?

*Answer.*—\$1,027.97.

QUESTION XXXVI.—What is the number of Societies, and the number and estimated value of Church edifices?

*Answer.*—Societies, 799; churches, 567; value of churches, \$867,326.

QUESTION XXXVII.—What is the number of pastoral charges, and the number and value of parsonages owned by them?

*Answer.*—Pastoral charges, 155; parsonages, 101; value of parsonages, \$148,850.

QUESTION XXXVIII.—What is the number and value of district parsonages?

*Answer.*—District parsonages, 7; value, \$16,700.

QUESTION XXXIX.—What are the educational statistics?

*Answer.*—No report.

QUESTION XL.—Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

*Answer.*—Cleveland, Tenn.

QUESTION XLI.—Where are the preachers stationed this year?

*Answer:*

I. RADFORD DISTRICT.—J. T. Frazier, P. E.		4
1	Radford, Grove Avenue.....E. F. Kahle, T. F. Glenn.....	2
2	Radford, Bourne Memorial..J. W. Smith.....	1
3	Auburn Circuit.....M. J. Wysor.....	1
	B. C. Horton, Supn'y.	
4	Jacksonville Circuit.....Supplied by G. M. Johnson...	
5	Hylton Mission.....J. M. Romans.....	1
6	New River Circuit.....C. E. Bower.....	3
7	Newbern Circuit.....R. A. Kelley....	4
8	Allisonia Circuit.....J. B. Peery.....	1
9	Staffordsville Circuit.....W. E. Bailey.....	4
10	Pearisburg Circuit.....J. A. H. Shuler.....	2
11	Princeton Station.....S. E. Houk.....	1
12	Concord Circuit.....J. B. Simpson.....	1
13	East River Mission.....W. White Newberry.....	1
14	Bluestone Circuit.....To be supplied.	
15	Bluefield Station.....T. C. Shuler.....	3
16	Pulaski Station.....J. A. Burrow.....	1
17	West Bluefield Mission.....E. S. Bettis.....	1
18	Princeton Academy.....J. E. Naff.....	
	Students at E. & H. College..J. W. Rader, A. S. Thorn.	
	Student at Vanderbilt Uni...P. L. Cobb.	

**II. TAZEWELL DISTRICT.—W. W. Pyott, P. E. 3**

1 Tazewell Station.....	I. P. Martin.....	1
2 East Tazewell Circuit.....	J. A. Duvall.....	1
3 Crockett Cove Mission.....	G. W. Pressley.....	1
4 Clear Fork Circuit.....	W. I. Fogleman.....	1
5 Graham Station.....	S. B. Vaught.....	2
6 Pocahontas Station.....	J. S. French.....	1
7 Cooper's Station.....	T. F. Suthers.....	1
8 Bramwell Station.....	T. J. Eskridge.....	1
9 Welch Station.....	C. R. Brown.....	2
10 Liberty Hill Circuit.....	S. T. M. McPherson.....	1
11 Buchanan Mission.....	G. A. Carner.....	2
12 Cedar Bluff Circuit.....	T. D. Strader.....	1
13 Richland and Honaker Cir....	C. E. Painter.....	2
14 Algoma and Arlington Cir....	R. K. Sutherland.....	1
15 Mabeury and Elkhorn Cir....	J. B. Ward.....	1
16 Eckman and Keystone Cir....	C. C. Cecil.....	1
17 Teagar Mission.....	S. W. Bourne.....	1

**III. WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT.—J. S. W. Neel, P. E. 3**

1 Wytheville Station.....	W. C. Carden.....	4
2 Wytheville Circuit.....	G. A. Maiden.....	3
3 East Wytheville Mission.....	D. C. Clendenen.....	1
4 Lead Mines Circuit.....	W. D. Mitchell.....	3
5 Max Meadows Circuit.....	J. L. Prater.....	1
6 Hillsville Circuit.....	Jas. Mahoney.....	3
7 Old Town Circuit.....	W. C. Crockett.....	1
	B. F. Nuckolls, Supn'y.	
8 Independence Circuit.....	D. P. Hurley.....	3
9 Elk Creek Circuit.....	R. F. Jackson.....	4
10 Spring Valley Circuit.....	M. P. Carico.....	3
11 Mt. Airy Circuit.....	P. P. Kinzer, F. P. McCary.....	1
12 Seddon Circuit.....	D. H. Carr.....	1
13 Sharon Springs Circuit.....	C. L. Stradley.....	2
14 Marion Station.....	S. D. Long.....	2
15 Marion Circuit.....	E. W. Moore.....	3
16 Grayson Mission.....	Wm. H. Troy.....	1

**IV. ABINGDON DISTRICT.—G. D. French, P. E. 3**

1 Abingdon Station.....	W. M. Dyer.....	4
2 Abingdon Circuit.....	S. S. Weatherly.....	2
3 Holston Circuit.....	W. H. Price.....	3
4 Mendota Circuit.....	R. M. Walker.....	1
5 Mountain City Mission.....	J. W. Repass.....	2
6 Emory Circuit.....	W. N. Wagner, J. C. Cook.....	2
	J. S. Davis, Supn'y.	
7 Saltville and Union Cir.....	D. E. Hawk.....	2
8 Rich Valley Circuit.....	L. H. Little.....	2
9 Bristol, Main Street Station..	J. H. Keith.....	2
10 Bristol, Anderson St. Miss...	M. D. Mitchell.....	1
11 Bristol, Mary Street Station..	A. B. Hunter.....	2
12 Bristol Circuit.....	W. H. Henderson.....	1
13 Blountville Circuit.....	J. R. Chambers.....	2
14 Bluff City Circuit.....	R. E. Smith.....	1
15 Elizabethton Station.....	Barney Thompson.....	1

Emory and Henry College.....	R. G. Waterhouse, President.
Martha Washington College.....	S. N. Barker, President.
Martha Washington College.....	C. C. Fisher, Financial Agent.
Sullins College.....	D. S. Hearon, { Pres'ts.
	Eugene Blake, }
Holston Institute.....	J. W. Carnes, Principal.
Cor. Sec'ty of Education.....	R. G. Waterhouse.

**V. BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT.—J. H. Kennedy, P. E. 4**

1 Big Stone Gap Station.....	J. I. Cash.....	2
2 East Stone Gap Mission.....	Supplied by W. H. Poole.	
3 Gladeville Circuit.....	I. N. Munsey.....	1
4 Clintwood Mission.....	W. C. Hicks.....	2
5 Elk Garden Circuit.....	C. W. Kelly.....	1
6 Lebanon Circuit.....	J. W. W. Shuler.....	1
7 Dickensonville Circuit.....	F. Alexander.....	1
8 Castlewood.....	L. O. Adams.....	1
9 Nickelsville Circuit.....	D. McCracken.....	3
10 Gate City Station.....	J. L. Weber.....	1
11 Kingsport Circuit.....	S. K. Byrd.....	3
12 Hawkins Circuit.....	E. W. Walker.....	3
13 Clinchport Circuit.....	J. M. Maiden.....	1
14 Stickleyville Circuit.....	J. W. Christian.....	1
15 Pennington Gap Circuit.....	E. L. Addington.....	1
16 Jonesville Circuit.....	D. V. York.....	3
17 Powells Valley Circuit.....	G. B. Draper.....	1
18 Cumberland Gap Circuit.....	J. A. Baylor.....	2
	Jonesville Academy.....	J. D. Akers.

**VI. MORRISTOWN DISTRICT.—W. W. Hicks, P. E. 1**

1 Morristown Station.....	J. C. Orr.....	4
2 Morristown Circuit.....	W. L. Jones.....	3
3 Mossy Creek Circuit.....	W. D. Akers.....	3
4 Newport Circuit.....	J. D. Hickson.....	1
5 Johnson City Station.....	W. S. Neighbors.....	3
	J. R. Cunningham, Supn'y.	
6 Jonesboro Station.....	E. C. McVoy.....	1
7 Jonesboro Circuit.....	J. F. Wampler.....	3
8 Tate Spring Circuit.....	E. W. Mort.....	3
9 Rutledge Circuit.....	M. L. Clendenen.....	1
10 Rogersville Station.....	J. H. Parrott.....	1
11 Rheatown Circuit.....	E. H. Bogle.....	2
	J. R. Payne, Supn'y.	
12 St. Clair Circuit.....	E. H. Cassidy.....	4
13 Greeneville Station.....	J. D. McAlister.....	3
14 Greeneville Circuit.....	W. C. Faris.....	1
15 Fall Branch Circuit.....	J. E. Bruce.....	3
16 Erwin Mission.....	J. B. Davis.....	1
17 Tazewell Circuit.....	J. K. Wolfe.....	1
18 Parrottsville & Warrensburg.....	C. E. Steele.....	3
	Editor <i>Christian Advocate</i> .....	E. E. Hoss.

**VII. KNOXVILLE DISTRICT.—C. T. Carroll, P. E. 1**

1 Knoxville, Church St.....	H. D. Moore.....	4
	W. H. Dawn, Supn'y.	



2	Knoxville, Broad St.....	F. Richardson.....	4
3	Knoxville, Centenary .....	J. W. Perry.....	1
4	Highland Avenue.....	W. Wisdom Newberry.....	2
5	East Fifth Avenue .....	G. M. Moreland.....	1
6	Knoxville, Fountain City.....	J. S. Kennedy.....	2
7	Knoxville Circuit.....	J. E. Swecker.....	2
8	Macedonia Circuit.....	J. D. Dame.....	2
9	Strawberry Plains Circuit.....	H. C. Neal .....	2
10	Sevierville Circuit.....	J. E. Spring.....	1
11	Maynardsville Circuit.....	J. B. Carnes.....	1
		J. C. Bays, Supn'y.	
12	Andersonville Circuit.....	H. C. Clemens.....	1
13	Jacksboro Circuit.....	J. R. Walker.....	1
14	Little River Circuit.....	J. C. Runyan.....	1
15	Coal Creek .. ..	B. T. Sharp.....	2
	Chaplain in U. S. Navy.....	J. B. Frazier.	
	Conference Miss. Secretary.....	W. Wisdom Newberry.	

#### VIII. CLEVELAND DISTRICT.—T. R. Handy, P. E. 4

1	Cleveland Station.....	G. W. Summers.....	2
2	Cleveland Circuit.....	Supplied by R. H. Jewell.	
3	Benton Circuit.....	H. A. True.....	1
4	Charleston Circuit.....	J. W. Browning.....	3
5	Riceville Circuit.....	J. F. Hash.....	1
6	Athens Station.....	Frank Jackson .....	2
7	Athens Circuit.....	A. Kincaid.....	3
8	Ducktown Mission.....	R. T. Webb.....	1
9	Sweetwater Circuit.....	J. A. Lyons, J. A. Bilderback.	2
10	Madisonville Circuit.....	J. M. Wolfe.....	1
	Supernumeraries.....	J. H. Brunner, J. R. Stradley.	
11	Eleazer Circuit .....	L. R. Huddleston .....	2
		F. M. Grace, Supn'y.	
12	Decatur Circuit.....	G. M. F. Hampton.....	1
13	New Hope Circuit.....	J. M. Paxton.....	2
14	Loudon Circuit.....	W. A. Thomas.....	
15	Lenoir City Station.....	S. S. Catron.....	3
16	Louisville Circuit.....	J. E. Lowry.....	2
17	Maryville Station.....	G. W. Jackson.....	3
18	Concord Circuit.....	R. S. Umberger.....	1
	Athens Female College.....	L. L. H. Carlock, President.	
	Centenary College.....	D. Sullins, President.	

#### IX. CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT.—K. C. Atkins, P. E. 3

1	Chattanooga, Centenary .....	C. F. Evans .....	1
2	Chattanooga, Whiteside St. ....	J. O. Straley .....	1
3	Chattanooga, Cherry Street.....	E. N. Woodward.....	1
4	Chattanooga, St. Elmo.....	J. C. Maness .....	3
5	Ridgedale and Rossville.....	W. M. Morrell .....	2
6	E. Chattanooga and Citico.....	J. M. Carter.....	1
7	Etna Circuit .....	A. D. Stuart.....	1
		J. P. Dickey, Sup'n'y.	
8	Trenton Circuit.....	W. R. Snider.....	1
9	Ooltewah Circuit.....	John Woolsey .....	2
10	Hill City Station.....	W. L. Patton.....	2
11	Hamilton Circuit .....	Supplied by J. A. Jackson.	

12	South Pittsburg Station .....	J. C. Wright .....	1
13	Highland Park Station.....	J. W. Taylor.....	3
	Conf. Agent of Education.....	John Boring.....	

<b>X.</b>	<b>SEQUATCHEE DISTRICT.—R. A. Owen.</b>		<b>4</b>
1	Dayton Station .....	A. N. Jackson.....	1
2	Spring City Circuit .....	C. M. Pickens .....	1
3	Evansville Circuit .....	A. H. Tow .....	2
4	Kingston Circuit.....	F. F. Threadgill.....	1
	Supernumeraries.....	S. Phillips and G. D. Herman.	
5	Harriman Station.....	R. N. Price.....	3
6	Clinton Station .....	R. T. McDowell.....	2
7	Rockwood Station .....	J. A. L. Perkins .....	1
8	Jamestown Mission.....	W. P. Blevins.....	1
9	Jasper Station.....	L. M. Cartwright .....	3
10	Jasper Circuit.....	J. W. Robertson .....	1
11	Dunlap and Whitwell Cir't.....	C. M. James.....	2
		John Alley, Supern'y.	
12	Pikeville Circuit.....	S. H. Hall.....	1
13	Cumberland Circuit .....	C. B. LeFew .....	1
14	Clinton Circuit.....	W. L. Sorrell.....	2

#### TRANSFERRED.

T. H. Kinzer and I. H. Hoskins, to Indian Mission Conference.  
 J. P. McFerrin, to Louisville Conference, and stationed at  
 Broadway Church.





THE BISHOP AND CABINET.

## CONFERENCE REPORTS.

### A.

#### BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION, REPORT No. 1.

Your Board of Church Extension submit the following as Report No. 1:

We are glad to note some improvement in our department of work. Our people and preachers have a more intelligent idea of the work, and as the advance in intelligence so is the increase in interest. The assessment collections are a little in advance of last year. The special collection, taken last evening, for the Cuban Churches in Florida, was liberal and gratifying. The statement of our General Secretary, that while the Parent Board has made, since its organization, very liberal loan of \$1,800.00 to our Conference, but that our Conference has only contributed \$506.50 is not so complimentary. In view of the foregoing we offer the following resolutions for the adoption of the Conference:

*First*, That we rejoice and take courage in the success God has given us.

*Second*, That the truth, vigor and energy of the speeches made last evening by Bishop Duncan and Dr. D. Morton, be taken up by our preachers, carried to their respective charges, and be placed with due merit on the hearts of the people.

*Third*, That it is the sense of this Conference that the Executive Committee of the Board of Church Extension, assisted by Bishop Duncan and Dr. Morton, make a thorough canvass of the Holston Conference for the purpose of raising money for the General Loan Fund of the Board of Church Extension.

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. MAIDEN, Pres't.

J. C. MANESS, Sec'ty.

#### REPORT No. 2.

As Report No. 2 we would offer the following for your adoption:

*Resolved*, That the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society in each charge be urged to improve the condition of its parsonage, striving to make it more convenient, comfortable, and tasteful; and to improve the grounds by planting fruit and shade trees; also, that our pastors be urged to place the parsonage in as perfect a condition as possible upon leaving.

*Resolved*, Second, That a list of the Conference officers of the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, with their address, be published annually in the minutes of this Conference, and that a copy of the minutes of this Conference be furnished to the central office of that Society at Nashville, Tenn.

*Resolved*, Third, That we urge each preacher in this Conference to change his "Aid Society" into a Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, and that all the money expended within its bounds, by each local parsonage society and by the Conference Society and Central Committee, be reported annually to this Conference and incorporated in its minutes.

Your Board is very much embarrassed by being asked to aid churches to the amount of \$1,182.00 while it only has \$780.00 to appropriate.

As judiciously as possible we make the following appropriations:

1 Grove Church, Holston Circuit, Abingdon District.....	\$ 75 00
2 Bethel, Knoxville District.....	75 00
3 Blevins Chapel, Cleveland District.....	40 00
4 Epworth Chapel, Cleveland District.....	40 00
5 Highland Avenue, Knoxville District.....	175 00
6 Arlington Church, Tazewell District.....	125 00
7 Goodwill Church, Tazewell District.....	100 00
8 Strader's Chapel, Radford District.....	25 00
9 Hebron Church, Radford District.....	75 00
10 Ewing's Chapel, Big Stone Gap District.....	50 00

Total amount appropriated.....\$780 00

We make the following apportionments:

Wytheville District.....	\$450 00
Abingdon District.....	430 00
Tazewell District.....	415 00
Radford District.....	435 00
Morristown District.....	410 00
Big Stone Gap District.....	250 00
Knoxville District.....	470 00
Cleveland District.....	220 00
Chattanooga District.....	470 00
Sequatchee District.....	200 00

Total.....\$3,750 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. MANESS, Sect'y.

### REPORT No. 3.

TREASURER'S REPORT, OCTOBER 19, 1895.

T. C. Shuler, Treasurer, in account with the Board of Church Extension.

DR.

To amount on hand October, 29, 1894..... \*\$847 58

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Nov. 1, '94 By amount paid T. P. Graham for Kincaid's Chapel.....	\$ 75 00
Nov. 5, '94 By amount paid C. C. Cecil for Algoma Church.....	100 00
Nov. 23, '94 By amount paid C. C. Cecil for Eckman Church.....	150 00

\*\$118.00 of this amount was received from R. A. Owen, former Treasurer.

Nov. 30, '94	By amount paid C. C. Cecil for Keystone Church.....	150 00
Dec. 6, '94	By amount paid R. A. Owen for Dossett's Chapel.....	25 00
Dec. 21, '94	By amount paid S. K. Byrd for Mountain View Church.....	75 00
Dec. 25, '94	By amount paid W. W. Hicks for Powell's Station Church.....	50 00
May 27, '95	By amount paid D. E. Hawk for McCreody's Chapel.....	50 00
June 11, '95	By amount paid E. S. Bettis for Lebanon Church.....	75 00
Aug. 5, '95	By amount paid J. B. Peery for Bishop's Chapel.....	25 00
Oct. 7, '95	By amount paid Enoch Payne for Wesley Chapel.....	36 29
	Total disbursements.....	<u>\$811 29</u>
	Balance on hand from last year.....	36 29
	To amount received from pastors for the cur- rent year 1894-5.....	<u>\$1,658 28</u>
	Total amount in the hands of the Treasurer..	\$1,694 57

## DISBURSEMENTS.

June 27, '95	By amount paid D. Morton for Parent Board.....	14 00
Oct. 18, '95	By amount paid D. Morton for Parent Board.....	815 14
Oct. 18, '95	By amount appropriated for Church Extension Bulletin...	10 00
Oct. 18, '95	By amount appropriated for Ex- penses of Board.....	<u>33 65</u>
Oct. 19, '95	Balance on hand.....	<u>\$856 78</u>
Oct. 19, '95	Special. Received and paid to D. Morton for Cuban Churches...	<u>\$188 75</u>

T. C. SHULER, Treas.

**B.**

## REPORT ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your committee to whom was referred the records of the District Conference of the Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South, submit the following report:

Each of the books of the ten Districts have been before the committee and have been examined.

The minutes of the Chattanooga, Cleveland, Knoxville, Morristown, and Radford Districts, are all well kept.

The Abingdon District Conference record is poorly kept. The writing is bad, punctuation faulty, and errors in the use of capital letters are to be mentioned among the mistakes found.

The record of the Sequatchee District is wanting in proper arrangement. The penmanship is not good, and the punctuation is frequently incorrect.

The minutes of the Big Stone Gap District are fairly kept. The punctuation is not faultless, and the penmanship not so good as it might be.

The general arrangement, penmanship, and punctuation of the records of the Wytheville and Tazewell Districts are excellent. In fact these books are about perfect.

WHEREAS, Your committee finds great improvement in the minutes of our District Conferences in which important facts of church history are to be preserved; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That we will continue to use the greatest care and diligence in this work.

J. W. ROBERTSON, Chm'n.

J. R. WALKER, Sect'y.

### C.

#### BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Books and Periodicals takes pleasure in expressing high appreciation of the literature sent out by the Publishing House during the past year. It is on a broader literary basis. The exhibit of the House is as follows:

Total business.....	\$355,013 08
Gain in assets .....	44,877 14
Cash and Sinking Fund.....	56,320 16

Total assets.....	\$700,272 54
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#### LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bonds.....	\$9,000 00
Overpayments of customers .....	2,027 95
Amount on deposit S. S. Boards.....	1,631 56

Total liabilities.....	\$12,659 51
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Capital, as per Ledger.....	\$687,613 03
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The *Christian Advocate* is the most important of our publications. Well does it defend the faith and vindicate the policy of the Church. Its editor is fearless, yet kind in his defense of our people, and we believe he voices the will of the Church in the editorial columns. It has never been better in its history. We are sorry to report a decrease in its circulation during the past year. This is due to certain causes which we believe can, and ought to be, easily and readily overcome.

The *Review* is a broad, scholarly magazine, having for its contributors the best talent of the Church, and beyond this some of the best in the land. Not only is its theological but its literary tone is eminently commendable. We are glad to know that it is not only self-supporting, but promises a source of revenue to the House. This success is largely due to the energy and ability of its editor. We commend it to our people.

The *Epworth Era* is an interesting and progressive paper, and should be in every leaguer's hands. It is but a little more than a year old, and has 6,000 paid subscriptions, and promises to soon stand alone. Above its receipts it has cost the House less than \$1,000.



The *Review of Missions* is an indispensable periodical, furnishing fresh information on both Home and Foreign Mission enterprise, and should reach every Southern Methodist home.

The *Woman's Missionary Advocate* is heartily endorsed.

The *World for Christ* is an inspiring little paper, giving up-to-date news on Missions, and costs but 10 cents per year. It should go to every Methodist's table.

The Sunday School Literature is of the best, and has had an increased circulation during the past year. We especially recommend the *Sunday School Magazine* to the teachers.

The *Holston Methodist* is gradually improving its subscription list, and is now self-supporting. It has been enlarged and greatly improved during the past year, and we most earnestly request all our preachers to make a special effort during the coming year to put the paper in every home, especially in the home of every official member of the church. We respectfully recommend the appointment of Dr. R. N. Price as editor for the ensuing year.

J. K. WOLF, Chm'n.

M. D. MITCHELL, Sect'y.

## D.

### CLAIMANTS' FUNDS.

The question concerning the bequests to be invested for the benefit of Conference claimants, which was referred to the Joint Board of Finance for investigation and report, is herein submitted.

#### FUNDS.

1. The "Preacher's Aid,"	\$ 644 50
2. The "Ambrister,"	2,401 66
3. The "Brilhart,"	2,000 00
4. The "Waugh," about	3,000 00
5. The "Chaffin,"	500 00
6. The "Wall,"	5,000 00
Total	\$13,546 16

Of the "Waugh" fund, which originally, amounted to about \$3,000.00, all but \$300.00 has not been utilized by the Board for several years, and may never be, by reason of insecure investments.

The "Ambrister" and the "Brilhart" funds, amounting to \$4,401.66, were in the hands of Rev. G. Taylor, formerly Trustee of the Conference, and they, too, cannot be utilized at present, and probably half of them, or more, are irrecoverably lost, the reasons for which are known to the Conference. This leaves of the above funds now in a condition to be utilized by the Joint Board, the sum of \$6,444.50. To this must be added \$55.50 interest on the "Preacher's Aid," "Chaffin," and "Waugh" funds invested with the principal, leaving a total available fund amounting to \$6,500.00,

#### INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

The "Preacher's Aid," "Chaffin," and "Waugh," amounting to, including interest as per above, \$1,500.00, is invested in "Emory and Henry College bonds" of the denomination of

\$500.00 each, and bearing six per cent. interest, payable annually on the 1st day of October.

The "Wall" fund is vested by the donor in the terms of the bequest in three Trustees, W. J. Jordan, R. D. Gardner, and Selden Longley, for the use of your claimants, and is invested by them in the following amounts and to the following parties:

In the bond of A. J. Morgan.....	\$2,930 29
In the bond of R. D. Gardner, with J. C. Wysor as surety, and also secured by deed of trust.....	1,000 00
In the bond of R. C. Booth and J. S. Booth, secured by a vendor's lien.....	1,000 00
Interest to be invested.....	69 71
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$5,000 00</b>

This sum by the terms of the bequest is to be kept invested by the Trustees, and the interest collected and turned over to the Joint Board just before each annual meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. ESKRIDGE.

### E.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Your Committee on Church Property report as follows:

The reports of preachers in charge show that we have 799 societies, an increase of 328; that we have 567 churches, an increase of 16. The value of our churches is \$891,326, or a decrease in value of \$21,968. We have 101 parsonages—an increase of 10. The value of parsonages is \$148,850, a decrease of \$12,825 from last year's valuation. Other church property is valued at \$290,253—an increase of \$43,888. Money expended on churches and parsonages, \$40,642.21, a decrease of \$18,162.93. These reports show a net increase in value of church property of \$9,095. There are 232 societies without churches, and 64 preachers without parsonages.

J. R. CHAMBERS, Chm'n.

### F.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Your Board having had under consideration the educational interests of our Church and Conference, would respectfully submit the following:

We fully sympathize with the aim and policy of the General Board of Education as set forth in a paper referred to us, and as explained by Dr. R. J. Bigham, the Corresponding Secretary. In compliance with a request of the General Board, and in the hope of making more efficient our Conference Board, we recommend the appointment of a Conference Secretary of Education, and suggest R. G. Waterhouse for that position.

We believe our Church under the weightiest obligation to furnish facilities for the higher education of preachers and teachers in that branch of African Methodism set up by us, and hence commend the Paine and the Lane Institutes as deserving the special contributions of our people, and recommend again the apportionment of five hundred dollars to the several districts for the support of these schools.

Of our Conference Schools, the following have reported to your Board: Centenary Female College, Hiwassee College, People's College, Princeton Academy, Sullin's College, Martha Washington College and Emory and Henry College. We do not deem it necessary to occupy time and space in reporting specifically concerning all these schools, but think proper to mention the following facts:

PRINCETON ACADEMY was rescued from debt a few years ago, through the agency of one of our pastors, Rev. John H. Kennedy, and has enjoyed, for the last four years, a growing prosperity, under the hand of Rev. Eugene Blake. It is now in charge of Rev. John E. Naff, who has increased its equipment, and improved its course of study. We commend it as an excellent Training School, worthy of the patronage of our people.

MARTHA WASHINGTON COLLEGE enrolled last year the largest number of boarding pupils in its history, raised more than seven thousand dollars to pay off indebtedness and make improvements. We request the continuance of Prof. C. C. Fisher as Financial Agent, and commend him and his cause to all our people.

SULLINS COLLEGE reports itself as free of debt and enjoying an increased patronage.

CENTENARY COLLEGE has opened well and reports first-class facilities for the education of our daughters.

HIWASSEE COLLEGE reports its buildings and grounds improved, a new boarding house erected, and asks its friends for \$750.00 to meet liabilities thus incurred.

EMORY AND HENRY COLLEGE reports certain improvements in her preparatory department, and a plan inaugurated by the Board of Trustees to pay her indebtedness, which will be duly explained to this Conference by her President, and which we commend as worthy of your adoption.

We have given much attention to considering how we may adjust the work of Martha Washington and Sullins Colleges so as to avoid painful and damaging friction, and as a result present the following recommendation:

It is the sense of this Board of Education that the time has fully come when the conduct and course of instruction of Martha Washington and Sullins Colleges should be so adjusted as to stop, and forever preclude a possibility of a return of the competition now existing, and to this end be it resolved that this Conference, through its Secretary, call the Boards of Trustees of the respective institutions to meet the Conference Board of Education on the 20th of November, 1895, at Mary Street Church, Bristol, and to bring with them all the title papers of the two institutions.

*Resolved*, Further, that a committee of three be appointed by this Conference to investigate the titles of all the schools under our care, and report to the next Annual Conference.

We ask the appointment of Rev. John Boring as Conference Commissioner of Education; the appointment of Rev. J. W. Carnes to Holston Institute; and the appointment of Rev. L. L. H. Carlock to Athens Female College.

We recommend an assessment of \$2,500.00 for the use of our

own and the General Board of Education, and further recommend that if more money is secured to the Conference Board than meets the tuition remitted our young men preparing for the ministry, such surplus shall be applied to the indebtedness of Emory and Henry College.

The following visitors and curators are named:

*Hincassee*.—J. M. Maiden, J. A. Stubblefield, J. W. Thomasson, A. Kincaid, J. A. Burrow, L. L. H. Carlock, W. D. Browder, W. A. Brown.

*Martha Washington*.—R. G. Waterhouse, J. S. W. Neel, G. D. French, W. C. Carden, W. W. Hicks, C. C. Fisher, W. M. Dyer, W. H. Price, G. A. Maiden, S. T. M. McPherson, E. F. Kahle, G. W. Summers, J. L. Jarman, S. D. Long.

*Sullins College*.—J. H. Kennedy, J. H. Keith, G. D. French, C. T. Carroll, T. C. Shuler, H. S. J. Hyatt.

*Centenary*.—J. H. Brunner, V. C. Allen, T. F. Glenn, F. Richardson, J. W. Paulette, T. R. Handy, K. C. Atkins, S. S. Catron, W. M. Nixon.

*Pryor Institute*.—R. A. Owen, K. C. Atkins, A. D. Stewart, L. M. Cartwright, J. W. Robertson, W. S. Neighbors, T. C. Shuler, J. W. Browning, John Woolsey.

*People's College*.—S. Phillips, J. I. Cash, S. D. East, N. Q. Allen, F. Alexander.

Respectfully submitted,

D. SULLINS, Chm'n.

J. S. KENNEDY, Sec'y.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

On the assessment of \$2,500.00 made for the cause of Education, we have raised the following amounts from the Districts:

Radford District.....	\$135 82
Tazewell District.....	69 85
Wytheville District.....	100 28
Abingdon District.....	84 31
Big Stone Gap District .....	17 30
Morristown District.....	79 32
Knoxville District.....	168 70
Cleveland District.....	82 39
Chattanooga District.....	113 00
Sequatchee District.....	9 25

Total ..... \$860 22

This sum we distributed as follows:

To Holston Annual.....	\$ 10 00
To General Board.....	127 50
To Hiwassee College .....	37 84
To People's College.....	30 96
To Emory and Henry College.....	653 92

Total..... \$860 22

Respectfully,

J. C. WOODWARD, Treasurer.

**G.**  
**JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.**  
**ASSESSMENTS FOR 1895-'96.**

DISTRICTS.	Bishops.	Conference Claimants.	Paine and Lane.	General Conference Ex-pense Fund.	Education.
Radford.....	\$ 150 00	555 50	53 92	\$ 104 56	\$ 269 60
Tazewell.....	124 00	445 50	56 61	109 24	283 06
Wytheville.....	171 00	632 50	44 44	88 76	222 20
Abingdon.....	175 00	660 00	50 34	97 27	251 70
Big Stone Gap....	90 00	379 50	42 96	81 91	214 80
Morristown.....	170 00	916 00	50 54	97 27	252 70
Knoxville.....	195 20	770 00	62 34	120 21	311 70
Cleveland.....	124 00	440 00	45 28	87 38	226 40
Chattanooga.....	176 00	709 50	54 80	105 70	274 00
Sequatchee.....	70 00	291 50	38 77	74 82	193 84
Total.....	\$1,445 20	\$5,500 00	\$ 500 00	\$ 967 12	\$2,500 00

R. A. KELLEY, Secretary.

D. H. CARR, President.

DISTRICTS.	Bishops	Conference Claim's	Paine & Lane.
Radford.....	\$110 20	\$351 05	\$28 34
Tazewell.....	79 17	194 61	15 75
Wytheville.....	138 89	374 04	16 70
Abingdon.....	135 98	366 23	22 97
Big Stone Gap.....	67 50	113 35	15 85
Morriston.....	132 06	348 17	21 50
Knoxville.....	149 04	508 31	25 58
Cleveland.....	84 00	231 20	16 80
Chattanooga.....	90 43	291 83	22 94
Sequatchee.....	40 70	71 29	3 50
Total.....	\$1,027 97	\$2,850 08	\$189 93

To amount from Pastors.....	\$2,850 05
“ “ “ Wall Fund.....	111 62
“ “ “ Waugh Fund.....	} 30 60
“ “ “ Chaffin “.....	
“ “ “ Preacher's Aid.....	
“ “ “ L. L. H. Carlock.....	
“ “ “ Publishing House.....	594 00
“ “ “ Calvin Fund.....	19 80
“ “ on hand.....	17 16
“ “ from public collection.....	58 39
Total.....	\$3,681 62

## REPORT No. 2.

APPORTIONED FOR CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS FOR 1894-'95.

Rev. J. W. Robertson.....	\$100 00	Mrs. A. J. Frazier.....	50 00
“ J. M. Romans.....	.....	“ D. R. Smith.....	30 00
“ W. G. E. Cunyng- ham.....	.....	“ W. W. Neal.....	125 00
“ W. H. Kelley.....	.....	“ E. F. Lyons.....	25 00
“ W. H. Bates.....	75 00	“ A. T. Brooks.....	60 00
“ Wm. Robeson.....	75 00	“ T. J. Pope.....	.....
“ L. C. Delashmit.....	150 00	“ S. Alexander.....	60 00
“ A. E. Woodward.....	110 00	“ A. G. Blankenbeck- ler.....	125 00
“ H. P. Waugh.....	125 00	“ W. M. Munsey.....	50 00
“ J. W. Belt.....	90 00	“ E. K. Hutsel.....	50 00
“ R. M. Hickey.....	75 00	“ G. W. Renfro.....	35 00
“ P. S. Sutton.....	160 00	“ W. B. Pickens.....	50 00
“ Jacob Smith.....	75 00	“ David Adams.....	25 00
“ M. P. Swaim.....	50 00	“ Carroll Long.....	25 00
“ L. K. Haynes.....	215 00	“ W. R. Bellamy.....	50 00
“ J. N. Hobbs.....	200 00	“ D. B. Carter.....	75 00
“ F. D. Crumley.....	185 00	“ W. B. Winton.....	75 00
“ W. P. Doane.....	45 00	“ S. R. Wheeler.....	50 00
Mrs. Geo. Stewart.....	.....	“ Wm. Hicks.....	75 00
“ John M. McTeer.....	35 00	“ John Crismond.....	.....
“ G. W. K. Green.....	.....	“ Wm Witcher.....	75 00
“ E. E. Wiley.....	.....	Miss Maud Barrett.....	20 00
“ R. A. Giddens.....	.....	Enoch and Lucy Ball	75 00
“ T. F. Smith.....	25 00	Two girls of Rev. J. N.	.....
“ J. R. Bellamy.....	100 00	S. Huffaker.....	75 00
“ E. B. Robertson.....	150 00	Holston Annual.....	15 00
“ J. T. Smith.....	25 00		
“ R. W. Kite.....	215 00	Total.....	\$3,575 00

R. A. KELLEY, Sect'y.

D. H. CARR, Pres't.

## REPORT No. 3.

S. T. M. McPHERSON, Treasurer,

In account with Conference Claimants, DR.

To amount received from all sources..... \$3,681 62

CR.

By amount paid Conference Claimants per report of Secretary.....	\$3,560 00	
On hand.....	56 62	
Holston Annual.....	15 00	
Paid L. L. H. Carlock.....	50 00	
		\$3,681 62

## BISHOP'S FUND.

To amount from Pastors.....		\$1,027 97
By receipt of Barbee & Smith.....	\$ 23 30	
Sent to Barbee & Smith.....	1,004 67	
		\$1,027 97

## PAINE AND LANE INSTITUTES.

Tuition.....		\$189 93
Sent to Treasurer.....		\$189 93

## CONFERENCE MINUTES.

From Pastors .....	\$160 10
“ Board Finance .....	15 00
“ “ Sunday Schools.....	10 00
“ “ Missionary.....	12 50
“ “ Education.....	10 00
“ “ Church Extension.....	6 00
	\$213 60

## H.

## REPORT ON THE SPIRITUAL STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Your committee on the Spiritual State of the Church beg leave to report as follows:

The Church of Christ is not an aggregation of social clubs, organized for social pleasure and social improvement; it is not a gigantic machine for the manufacture of offices and salaries; but it is a spiritual body, composed of societies organized to save souls and to develop and cultivate in the hearts of the saved the principles of our holy Christianity. We realize, therefore, the grave responsibility of our appointment to consider and report on the most important subject that can come before this body.

The Church will never become apostate as long as she theoretically and practically places the spiritual interests of her people above all other concerns. We are, therefore, rejoiced to be able to report that the past year has been one of unusual spiritual prosperity within our bounds. Revival notices in the columns of our Conference organ indicate a large number of conversions and additions to the Church, and a great increase in the zeal and vitality of our membership.

One commendable feature especially noticeable in our recent revival work is, that it has been conducted almost exclusively by our own preachers, local and traveling, and that it seems to have been more deep and genuine than most of the revival work of the past quarter of a century within our bounds. The spirit of old-time religion seems to have come back on the Church, and sinners are convicted and converted very much after the fashion known to the fathers of Methodism. The superficial ideas and shallow methods that, during the last quarter of a century, have to too great an extent prevailed in the congregations of the land, appear to be falling into merited disrepute, and the Church seems to be returning to “the old paths.” Revival products, though perhaps diminishing in quantity, are increasing in quality; the stream does not spread over so wide a surface, but is less muddy and pursues a deeper channel. The harvest does not seem to be so abundant, but there is a greater proportion of wheat to the chaff. The issues of our spiritual exchequer do not seem to be so liberal, but there is more of genuine currency and less of counterfeit. We do not say these things in a boasting spirit, but in humble belief in their truth, and in devout thankfulness to God, whose is the work and whose is all the glory of our salvation.

It is not croaking to confess that our preachers are not doing all they can do; and yet, we trust, not vain boasting to claim that, on the whole, we have a corps of honest, prayerful, earnest, persevering servants of God, who are preaching the gos-

pel with power. Far ahead of the fathers in intellectual and social advantages, we think it is no flattery to say that we can not see that they are far behind them in zeal and real spiritual power. The stream of gospel preaching does not roar and chafe so much on the shoals, but it perhaps flows with a smoother and deeper volume. Under the preaching of the day the piety of the Church may not be solachrimose and demonstrative, but it is more intelligent, and perhaps equally deep and genuine.

The neglect of class-meetings seems to be measurably compensated in testimony exercises, in prayer-meetings, league meetings, as well as in the great congregation. The love feast is maintained in something of its ancient power and usefulness.

It is impossible to calculate the wonderful impetus given to the zeal and intelligence of the Church by the numerous Epworth Leagues organized in connection with our congregations. This new and puissant branch of the service deserves to be thoughtfully encouraged. It is the nursery of the Church, in which she is to grow up the workers of the future. It is the reserve force of the gospel army drilling in camps of instruction, and always ready to reinforce the ranks thinned by death.

We are sorry we cannot say that the morality of the Church is up to the gospel standard. There is in the Church much that is to be deplored. Discipline is too lax. With the fathers it may have been too rigorous. Our present laxity we look upon as both a good and a bad sign of the times. It is a bad sign inasmuch as it seems to be the natural result of the growing worldly prosperity of our people, and an ambition for numbers. It is a good sign inasmuch as it perhaps points to a growing sentiment of humanity and refinement, and a disposition to govern more by persuasion than by force—to lead rather than to drive. Yet it cannot be denied that preachers and people are not wholly excusable for tolerating diversions that cannot be taken in the name of the Lord Jesus, and for seemingly winking at immoralities, though found in a very small proportion of the membership. These evils ought to be cured and not endured; but they cannot be cured by harsh discipline and harsh denunciations. Only mild, but strict discipline, persuasive pleading and affectionate private admonition will bring about the needed reformation. But who is sufficient for these things? Brethren, the greater the abuses in the Church and the world, the more the need of spiritual power and exemplary meekness and patience, coupled with candor and plain dealing in the ministry. We stand somewhat in apprehension as to the trend of things in the Church; yet we are also hopeful, knowing that Jesus is at the helm; and we trust that the old ship of our beloved Zion will outride the storms and come safely into port.

In pursuance to these reflections we offer, for your adoption, the following resolutions, to-wit:

*Resolved*, First, That we are devoutly thankful to Almighty God that, in spite of our shortcomings and sins, He has crowned our humble labors with so much success.

Second, That our preaching should be practical rather than sensational; that our preachers should have the courage of



their convictions, and should, in the pulpit and out of it, deal plainly but affectionately, without excessive regard to popularity or salary.

Third, That only truly evangelical preachers should be invited or admitted into our congregations for revival work, and only such methods should be tolerated as recognize deep conviction for sin, thorough repentance, radical regeneration, a joyful experience, and the witness of the Spirit.

Fourth, That our people should be taught that when in church they are in the house of God, and that talking and laughing before divine service is inconsistent with the solemnity of the place.

Fifth, That our people should be taught to kneel or bow in divine service.

Sixth, That family worship should be insisted on from the pulpit and in pastoral interviews with our people.

Seventh, That dram-drinking, card-playing, dancing, gambling, Sunday excursions, circus-going, reading dime novels, and the like, should be condemned by the pulpit as diversions antagonistic to piety and corrupting to the Church.

R. N. PRICE, Chairman.

J. A. H. SHULER, Secretary.

## I.

### REPORT ON MISSIONS.

Your Board of Missions has had under its care the present year thirty-one mission fields, to which was appropriated \$3,500. After patient, careful toil, we have deemed it advisable to strike from the roll the following: Richland and Honaker, Cumberland Gap, Methodist Hill, Louisville and Alleghany, Ridgedale and Rossville. We add the following: Big Stone Gap, Ieager, Algoma and Arlington, Cleveland, West Blue Field, Coal Creek, Grayson, Lenoir City.

The above arrangement places thirty-four pastoral charges in the hands of your Board during the year to come. We present herewith their respective appropriations:

Hylton Mission.....	\$ 75 00
East River.....	75 00
West Radford.....	100 00
West Bluefield.....	150 00
Fancy Gap.....	100 00
Grayson.....	50 00
East Wytheville.....	50 00
Mountain City.....	50 00
Anderson Street.....	200 00
Clintwood.....	50 00
East Stone Gap.....	75 00
Big Stone Gap.....	200 00
Greeneville.....	175 00
Erwin.....	75 00
Highland Avenue.....	200 00
East Fifth Avenue.....	100 00
Coal Creek.....	100 00
Little River.....	75 00
Lenoir City.....	200 00

Ducktown.....	125 00
Cleveland.....	75 00
Hill City.....	100 00
Cherry Street.....	100 00
Highland Park.....	100 00
East Chattanooga.....	100 00
Sequatchee District.....	100 00
Harriman.....	250 00
Jamestown.....	50 00
Clinton.....	75 00
Buchanan.....	75 00
Crockett's Cove.....	75 00
Welch.....	100 00
Algoma and Arlington.....	75 00
Teager.....	200 00
Total.....	\$3,700 00

It is hardly necessary to state that your Board has been crippled by financial conditions; a ten thousand dollar investment would have been made most gladly had the fund been available. However, it is inspiring to behold the apostolic devotion that usually characterizes our missionaries; equal devotion in a foreign field might crown with living honors. Again, you will, we trust, rejoice that through the earnest and indefatigable efforts of your worthy Treasurer, Doctor Carlock, the collections have hopefully increased, as will be seen by reference to his report.

In connection with this statement, and in due courtesy to the Missionary Secretaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, your Board would most gratefully acknowledge the visitation this year of Doctor Lambuth in person to our Conference, and his generous distribution throughout the Conference of fresh and vitalizing missionary intelligence.

As is already known by the members of the Holston Conference, the Parent Board added \$1,000 to the assessment for Foreign Missions, making the aggregate for 1895-6 \$10,000. Your Board thought it proper to distribute this thousand over the ten districts of the Conference according to the ratio of the year now closing; and hence the following assessments:

DISTRICTS	Foreign	Home
Radford.....	\$ 1,000 00	\$ 700 00
Tazewell.....	1,000 00	700 00
Wytheville.....	1,111 00	775 00
Abingdon.....	1,111 00	775 00
Big Stone Gap.....	889 00	625 00
Morristown.....	1,000 00	700 00
Knoxville.....	1,250 00	875 00
Cleveland.....	833 00	600 00
Chattanooga.....	1,250 00	875 00
Sequatchee.....	556 00	375 00
Total.....	\$10,000 00	\$ 7,000 00

The Board kindly submits the following:

*Resolved*, That we urge the pastors to commence early after Conference, and press the collections to the close of the year, insisting on a contribution from every member, and outsiders as well.

2nd. That the preachers be requested to report their collections for missions to the Treasurer, Rev. L. L. H. Carlock, not later than the second day of the Conference session.

3rd. That we commend our missionary literature to the Church, and suggest that each pastor use every effort to get at least, one copy of "The World for Christ" in every home.

4th. That we recommend the appointment of a Corresponding Secretary for the Conference by the Bishop, to aid the preachers as far as he can, by correspondence and otherwise, in holding Missionary mass-meetings, procuring and distributing missionary literature, etc., in the interest of missions.

5th. That we recommend that each Presiding Elder co-operate in this work by appointing men in his district, whose duty it shall be to aid in securing missionary anniversaries at each District Conference.

6th. That this Board recommend the holding of semi-annual Missionary mass-meetings during the next year; we suggest that three such meetings be held at points in the Conference most convenient to the Presiding Elders and preachers in charge, viz: Chattanooga, Knoxville and Bristol.

7th. That we rejoice in the earnestness, consecration and generalship that characterize the work of our missionaries for their Lord and master; and that we are filled with gratitude for the success attending their efforts for the coming kingdom.

8th. That we feel the strength of the new tie, in the person of Miss May M. Umberger, which binds our Conference to our foreign fields, and that we pledge our hearty prayer and sympathy for her, and these holy women through whose prayers and efforts she has been raised up and sent forth into the Master's vineyard.

9th. That we beg each pastor to help these saintly sisters in their work, and that prayer be made throughout the Conference for the raising up for the foreign field, some consecrated young woman to take advantage of the training offered by the Carrie Steele Waterhouse fund that now lies idle.

E. W. MOORE, Chm'n.

JAS. I. CASH, Sec'y.

TREASURER'S REPORT.  
HOME MISSIONS.

L. L. H. CARLOCK, Treasurer,

In account with Home Missions,

	DR.
To amount of balance from 1894-95 .....	\$ 61 32
To amount received from pastoral charges.....	3,891 56
To amount of collection at Anniversary.....	16 45
	\$3,969 33
	CR.
1894	
Dec. 19. By amount paid on draft of L. O.	
Adams, 1893-94.....	\$ 50 00

1895		
Jan. 2.	By amount paid on draft of C. C. Cecil (Welch and Elkhorn Mis., 1893-94).....	60 00
Feb. 13.	By amount paid on draft of J. W. Taylor, (Highland Park), 1893-94, .....	43 75
Oct. 18.	By amount paid on drafts for 1894-5 .....	3,500 00
" 18.	By amount paid J. I. Cash, Sect'y, for stationery.....	7 95
" 18.	By amount paid W. Wisdom Newberry, Conf. Cor. Sect'y, for stationery and traveling expenses...	15 00
" 18.	By amount paid Treasurer for stationery .....	3 50
		<u>\$3,680 20</u>

## FOREIGN MISSIONS.

To amount received from pastoral charges.....	\$5,002 32
To amount of collection at Anniversary.....	16 48
	<u>\$5,018 80</u>
By amount sent T. B. Holt, Treas. before Conference.....	\$1,821 11
By amount sent T. B. Holt, Treas. Oct. 21, '95, .....	<u>3,197 69</u>
Total amount sent T. B. Holt.....	<u>\$5,018 80</u>

The following amounts have been collected the past year for Domestic and Foreign Missions:

DISTRICTS.	Home	Foreign
Radford .....	\$439 10	\$669 93
Tazewell .....	332 62	409 52
Wytheville .....	526 60	663 24
Abingdon .....	386 39	467 41
Big Stone Gap .....	257 49	256 81
Morristown .....	388 22	462 69
Knoxville .....	648 45	948 39
Cleveland.....	378 94	475 31
Chattanooga .....	396 87	525 24
Squatchee .....	136 88	123 78
Total .....	\$3,891 56	\$4,997 32
	16 45	16 48
	<u>\$3,908 01</u>	5 00
		<u>\$5,018 80</u>

L. L. H. CARLOCK, Treasurer.

## J.

## REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

The evils of intemperance are recognized by all good men everywhere, and it is now realized that whatever is injurious

to society it is the duty of society to remove. The bane and curse of our Christian civilization is the liquor traffic entrenched behind principles and customs long held sacred. The greatest social problem now before the Church of Christ is the subversion of the liquor power, and the annihilation of the saloon, open or underground. The drink-evil in our country is appalling. Its victims are millions. The arms of its power are all pervasive. It neither fears God nor regards man. It assumes all forms of manifestation to catch all kinds of men, luring to destruction the flower of our youth and the hope of our land. It is the stepping stone to crime. It is the ante-room to the penitentiary. Its steps take hold on death. It is the foe of the Church, and the defiant enemy of God. We rejoice to claim that every official utterance of the M. E. Church, South, has been for temperance. Intemperance has always been regarded as unbecoming in its members, and is positively forbidden in its Book of Discipline. It is held to be an immorality to manufacture or sell intoxicating drinks, to sign petitions for such sale, to become bondsman for any person as a condition to obtaining license, or to rent property for such sale. To these principles we heartily assent. There are differences as to the *means*, but there is no divergence as to the *end* to be attained. Nor are we alarmed as to the outcome. This world is the heritage of our risen Lord. There is not only redemption for man the individual, but for man as society, and for man as a race. Rum *ought* to be destroyed. What *ought* to be no Christian can do otherwise than determine *shall be*. In view of this we re-affirm our allegiance to the Temperance cause and our enmity to strong drink and the liquor traffic. Here we take our stand. While we as a Church acknowledge allegiance to no political party as such, and believe not in soiling the cross of Christ in the dust of civil strife, yet we earnestly urge on our membership that they use their privileges as citizens in the way which, in their individual opinions, will most certainly and securely advance the cause of Temperance.

J. A. BILDERBACK, Chairman.

T. J. ESKRIDGE, Secretary.

## K.

### BIBLE CAUSE.

Your committee to whom was referred the Bible Cause, submits the following report:

We would not attempt to throw additional light on the *importance* of a subject so vitally connected with your life's work and highest interests. Therefore, leaving the importance of this great work to your godly judgment, we find that the Bible Cause presents itself under two heads, *viz.*: the work of the American Bible Society, including the Virginia Society; and the distribution of Bibles by the *Holston Methodist*.

1. The statistical reports show that, for this year, there has been raised for the American Bible Society the sum of \$141.89, giving an advance over last year of \$100.89. Further, we learn that the Rev. Dr. Campbell, agent of the Virginia Bible Society, visited several districts during the year, and that some of our people afforded help that does not appear on the statistics.

2. We further learn that the *Holston Methodist* has distributed

about 400 Bibles, Students' Bibles, during the year. Thus our people are doing something to supply the needy with the Word of God, and at the same time, in our own boundary, a deeper interest in, and more intelligent study of, the Bible is being encouraged. Therefore, be it

*Resolved*, First, That we, as a Conference, use our utmost diligence to encourage the above named Societies by carrying out the provision of the late General Conference.

Second, That we heartily endorse and co-operate with the *Holston Methodist* in its great, good work.

Signed,

JNO. M. PAXTON, Chm'n.

W. C. GREER, Sect'y.

## L.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Your Sunday School Board report as follows:

Number of Schools, 618; a decrease of 7, as compared with last year. Officers and teachers, 4,651; an increase of 248. Scholars, 39,735; an increase of 1,722. Amount collected on "Children's Day," according to Treasurer's Report, \$251.30, a decrease of \$13.99. Expended for needy schools, \$265.82, a decrease of \$387 00. Your committee note with regret that only about one-third of our preachers observe "Children's Day" in their respective charges. We recommend for their consideration:

First. Paragraph 248 of our Discipline, which says: "The third Sunday in May, or as near thereto as practicable, *shall* be observed as "Children's Day" throughout our Church, with appropriate services, and on that day a collection shall be taken up for the aid of needy Sunday Schools, the advancement of the Sunday School work under the direction of the Annual Conference Sunday School Board, and for Christian Education.

2nd. Paragraph 247, which says: "Let every Sunday School, so far as practicable, be organized into a Missionary Society, auxiliary to the Board of Missions."

3d. Paragraph 243, which recommends the holding of District Sunday School Conferences, and in addition, that a Sunday School Conference be held in each pastoral charge, if practicable."

We note with pleasure the increasing excellence of our Sunday school literature, and earnestly urge its use in all our Sunday Schools.

One hundred and twenty-three Epworth Leagues are reported, an increase of 57. Members, 3,968, an increase of 1,480.

Your Board emphasizes the importance of organizing Leagues wherever practicable.

L. M. CARTWRIGHT, Chm'n.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

#### DR.

To balance from last year.....	\$238 88	
To amount collected this year.....	251 30	
		\$490 18

## CR.

To amount expended for needy schools.....	\$247 67	
To Barbee & Smith, 10% of amount collected the past year.....	25 13	
To Board of Education, 10% of amount col- lected the past year.....	25 13	
To Holston Annual.....	10 00	
Incidental Expenses.....	18 15	
		\$326 08
Balance in Treasury.....		\$164 10

W. D. AKERS, Treasurer.



## MEMOIRS.

### B. W. S. BISHOP.

Rev. B. W. S. Bishop was born July 22, 1834, and died October 4th, 1895. He was the son of the late Rev. Thos. P. Bishop, a local preacher of fine ability and excellent scholarship, whose wife was Lavinia Rose Schoolfield. The family is of Connecticut origin, but has been living for two or three generations in Virginia. It has been impossible for the committee to find out the exact date of Brother Bishop's conversion. But in 1856 he was received on trial into the Holston Conference, with which he maintained an unbroken connection up to the hour of his death. The record of his appointments will be inserted before this memoir is published. Let it be said now that he served circuits, stations and districts, and proved himself acceptable in all. He was not the sort of man that is fit for only one kind of work, but seemed equally adapted to all the different positions to which the Church assigned him.

He was happily married April 26, 1860, to Miss Julia Ann Goodykoontz, by whom he had four children, three of whom are still living: Rev. Clark M. Bishop, of the Southwest Missouri Conference, Mrs. Jno. W. Price, of Nashville, Tenn., and David H. Bishop, now a Fellow in Vanderbilt University. His first wife dying in 188-, was again married, in 188-, to Mrs. Mary Jane Dickey, who blessed all his closing years and survives to mourn her loss.

His piety was vigorous, uniform, and consistent. He was not a loud professor, but he did not hesitate to testify to the grace of Christ on all proper occasions. His life was his best profession. No one that knew him doubted that he was a sincere and consecrated Christian man. In every community in which he ever lived he had the respect and confidence of all the best people.

His habits were studious. From youth up he was fond of books. The Bible he read and studied incessantly, having gone through it consecutively more than fifty times. With the standard works of Methodism he was thoroughly familiar. Outside of theology, he had fine tastes in general literature. No man in the Holston Conference has ever known so much good poetry, or been able to quote it so felicitously. Is there any man among us now that promises in this respect to be his successor?

As a preacher he commanded the attention of thoughtful and intelligent people from the start. Never brilliant or sensational, he was also never stupid or dull. His power in the pulpit grew to the last. He kept his mind alive, and crossed no dead line. The best sermons of his life, so it is said, were those which he preached in the Church which is now draped in honor of his memory.



Brother Bishop was a steadfast friend of Education. For many years before his death he had been a trustee of Emory and Henry College; and it is safe to say that no man ever discharged the duties of such an office more faithfully. To all his own children he gave the advantage of a collegiate training, practicing the most persistent personal economy that he might be able to prepare them thus for their life work.

A more charming companion it would be hard to find. He had a bright and joyous nature, and scattered sunshine wherever he went. Young and old, rich and poor, the intelligent and the illiterate—all alike were glad to meet him. He had a large fund of anecdotes and reminiscences, but was not a dealer in doubtful stories.

To his friends he was true as steel. His loyalty to those he loved was without limit. In the bosom of his family he was a tender, devoted and affectionate father. Of his devotion to his Church and Conference no word need be said: it was the passion of his life. He had looked forward with great eagerness toward meeting his brethren at this service. How much he would have enjoyed being host to us all! The suddenness of his death, after a sickness of only two days, added to the shock which it gave to his family and friends. That he made a good ending, and is now with his Lord in Paradise, we feel assured. From the serene heights of the better life he looks down on his old companions in labor, and longs for their release. In the joyous friendship of those who went before, he has forgotten all the trials of the way.

O! may we triumph so,  
When all our conflict's past;  
And dying find our latest foe  
Under our feet at last.

E. E. Hoss.

#### RILEY A. GIDDENS.

Riley A. Giddens was born February 10, 1818, in Blount County, Tenn. He was married to Miss Ella Crownover, January 12, 1836. From this union were nine children, all of whom were reared to adult age. Brother Giddens professed saving faith in Christ June 14, 1841; was licensed to exhort February 12, 1842, and to preach July 1, 1843. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Andrew, October 24, 1847. Was admitted on trial in the Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South, in 1848, and was appointed to the Chattanooga Circuit. The next year he traveled the Hiwassee Mission; in 1850, the Decatur Circuit. At the Conference of 1851, he was received into full connection, and appointed to the Charleston Circuit, and to the Benton Circuit in 1852. Superannuated in 1853; ordained elder by Bishop Pierce in 1854. Continued a superannuate two years, when he again became effective and was appointed in 1855 to the Decatur Circuit; in 1856 to Madisonville, and in 1857 to the Charleston Circuit. In 1858 he again took a superannuated relation. After the first quarter of the year he took the place of Robert Strong on the Bradley Circuit. His diary says he traveled the Hamilton Circuit in 1859, and the Washington in 1861 and 1862. Located at Athens, Tenn., October 15, 1862. The following nine years he spent mostly in Georgia—part of the time

a refugee, and a good portion of that period traveling as a supply. He was re-admitted October 20, 1871, and appointed to the Princeton Circuit, West Virginia, but for some reasons, not known to the writer, he failed to go. Traveled the Decatur Circuit two years—1872 and 1873, and the Murphy in 1874. Superannuated the third time in the fall of 1874, which relation was continued to the end of his life. Although the last seven years were spent at Cleveland, yet during these twenty years of superannuation he moved about a good deal; in fact, he was emphatically an itinerant, having traveled as a member of the Conference, and otherwise, seventeen charges in twenty years. His last illness was short and not severe, but he had been slowly declining for several years. He was at church on Sunday morning, took sick that night, and the Thursday following, at 3 p. m., and in his right mind, the spirit of R. A. Giddens passed peacefully into the heavens. He was ready, so he said, and wished to go. To the end he was interested in the progress of the Church, was always in his place at the house of worship, if at all able, and was an intense hearer. Brother Giddens, in the art of making ends meet in his early itinerant life, when painful frugality was often necessary, was a typical Methodist preacher of pioneer Holston. And he brought this habit down into his later life, so that some of his friends thought he ought to have lived better and enjoyed life more, yet he was happy in daily communion with God. He was a man of gentle disposition, affectionate, of strong practical sense, and would have succeeded admirably in business, if he had chosen that sphere. As a preacher, judging from some written analyses of texts and outlines of sermons, we conclude that he was plain, pointed, practical—a good expositor. He held revivals, and souls were saved under his ministry. But he has received his last appointment, this time at the hand of “the Shepherd and Bishop of Souls”—no more as an itinerant to a hard mountain mission, nor yet to the enforced inactivity of a superannuate’s life, but to the blissful and abiding joy of his righteous Lord, for whom he toiled and suffered here below. “Servant of God, well done.”

G. W. SUMMERS.

#### REV C. A. MURPHY.

Rev. C. A. Murphy was born July 29, 1858, and died August 9, 1895. He said he was ready to die. Said to his wife the morning of the day on which he died: “I will pass over the river to-day,” meaning the river of death. He made several efforts to talk just before he died, but we could not understand him. He was licensed to preach by the quarterly conference of Sevierville circuit, in this church (Murphy’s chapel), about three years ago, and here, at same meeting, he preached his first sermon; in a few hundred yards of here he was born, here the funeral services were held, and here he was buried. The next Conference year after he was licensed to preach he was put in charge of Chilhowee mission. In this year there were in his meetings about eighty professions of religion. Though the Conference was full, he was admitted into it on trial at its annual session at Abingdon, Va., and appointed again in charge of Chilhowee mission. He began successfully

another year's work when his health gave way, and he reluctantly gave up his work. He died at his home at Henry's Cross Roads. He leaves a wife and one daughter to weep over his departure. The God of all grace sustain them.

J. M. WOLFE.

### HENRIETTA J. SUMMERS.

Born at Floyd Court House, Virginia, March, 31, 1854; died at Nashville, Tennessee, June 26, 1895. Between these dates unfolded as a flower the life of our departed sister. Her maiden name was Phlegar. The family is one of the very best, and Henrietta inherited the family traits. Kindness and intelligence were her predominant characteristics. She was a thoughtful and studious woman, one who read much and thought much. But after all, love was her forte and her force. She was made a child of God in her thirteenth or fourteenth year. At first she was a Lutheran, but when she had united her fortunes with that of a young Methodist preacher, thinking she could be more helpful to him in his work if in his church, she said, as the damsel of Moab to Naomi: "Whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God."

Her marriage to Rev. G. W. Summers took place October 13, 1879. Such was her good sense, her taste, her tact, her well-balanced judgment, that she met all demands, and discharged all the duties of the difficult position of a Methodist minister's wife. Having the care of six children—girls—her time was so occupied that she could not always take position as an active worker in the church societies, yet the prosperity of these was always on her mind and heart, and she blessed them with her prayers, and, as she could, with her presence and her gifts. Her impress was deepest where a true woman's influence ought always to be deepest, on her husband, her children, her relatives. It was given her to suffer, but she did not murmur. What if her body, like a musical instrument, was strung to pain; what if for years she did not know the melody and harmony of health—she said of her cup, as her Maker of His: "The cup which my Father has given me, shall I not drink it?" Her resignation was perfect. She said to her husband, "I would love to live for your sake and the children's, but I am not afraid to die. I am ready." It was with a view of alleviating pain and procuring for her release from long and constantly aggravating troubles that her husband, on advice of her physicians at Cleveland, sent his wife to Nashville, in order to secure, if possible, better medical treatment. The hope was vain. Soon he was summoned to the bedside of his dying wife. And soon the end came.

I draw the curtain aside and let you look in on the privacy of that last hour; for, although it is sad and sacred, it is all gilded with the glory of hope. The husband sits, at her request, on the bedside, his hand in hers. She looks at him, with a look of longing and love, and says: "Darling, I am not afraid to die, but I do want so much to see my precious children." Sweet mother! May your wish, which was your last prayer, be granted at last!

It is three o'clock in the morning. She sleeps so quietly the

husband fondly hopes that she is better. But no, the sleep is one sweet oblivion to pain. She is far out on that noiseless and smooth road by which some saints are permitted to approach the gates of Paradise—on that road on which Christ himself is guide: "I will receive you unto Myself." So, on being aroused and told that she could not recover, without any confusion or alarm, she said: "It is all right." Again and again she said, in reply to questions: "Jesus is with me; He comforts me."

It is day. The morning sun begins to shine into the room; but she is too far away from this world to see or note it; the light from the other world falls around her and her face shines with unearthly brightness. While others were, with returning day, restored to conscious life, and power, and thought, all efforts to arouse her were unavailing. But this will suffice—suffice for the comfort of the husband; for the comfort of the motherless children; suffice for all her kindred: for all who loved her and wished her well—this will suffice: her lips parted and she spoke one more last word, "Heaven!" The preacher's wife at last had found a home. It was Heaven. She had gone home—gone from pain.

"Heaven were no Heaven, if its dear light could fade;  
If its fair glory could hereafter wane;  
If its sweet skies could suffer stain or shade,  
Or its soft breezes waft one note of pain."

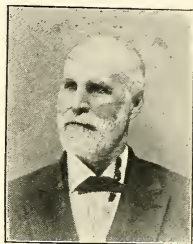
W. W. HICKS.



*He Giveth His Beloved Sleep.*



*RILEY A. GIDDENS.*  
Born February 10, 1818.  
Died April 4, 1895.



*BENJ. W. S. BISHOP.*  
Born July 22, 1834.  
Died October 4, 1895.



*CHARLES A. MURPHY.*  
Born July 29, 1858.  
Died August 9, 1895.



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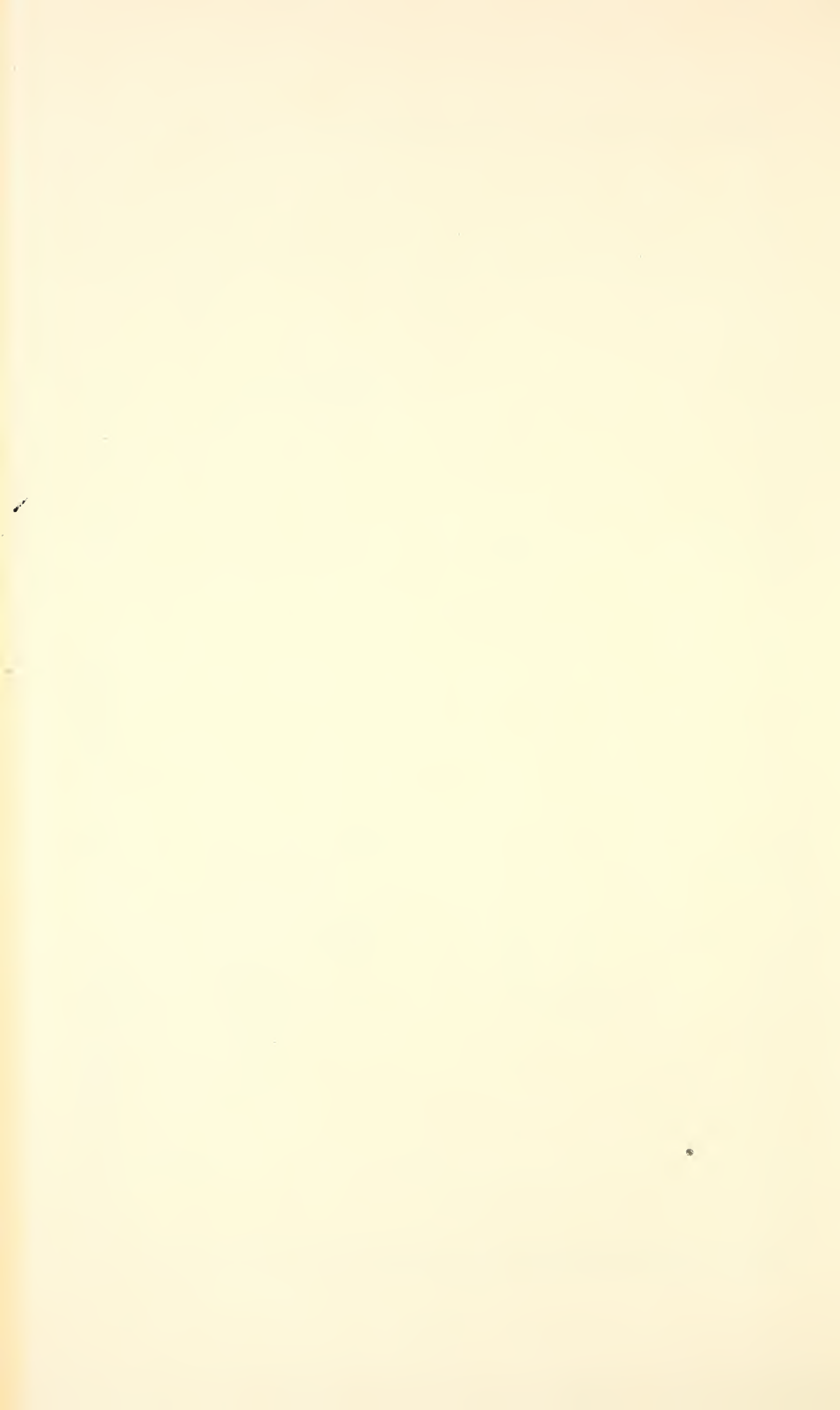


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NAME OF CHARGE	Local Pre chns	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Adoptions on Prof'n Faith	Additions by Certif. &c.	Removals by Death, Cert. &c	Infants Bap.	Adults Bap.	No. Societies	No Churches	Value of Churches	No. Parson's	Value of Parsonages	Money expend. for Churches and Parsonages.
<b>Radford Dist.</b>														
Radford, Grove Ave.	1	340	323	28	44	55	10	28	1	1	\$ 3,000	1	\$ 2,500	\$ 75.00
Radford, Bo'ne Mem	1	67	95	9	5	42	3	8	1	1	4,000	1	3,625	125.00
Auburn Circuit	4	477	528	32	10	93	1	21	5	7	6,400	1	700	844.50
Jacksonville Circuit	3	335	323	12	1	1	11	12	5	5	2,400			3.00
Hylton Mission	4	156	128	20	12	4	1	18	4	4	3,000			115.00
New River Circuit...	1	226	345		14	133	2	4	2		3,000			20.00
Newbern Circuit....	1	442	424	23	12	17	12	6	6	6	8,000	1	4,000	60.00
Pulaski Mission	1	370	382	11	1	24	7	10	6	3	3,700			182.00
Staffordsville Circ't	2	567	546	56	9	44	18	30	7	6	8,125	1	1,200	765.00
Pearlsburg Circuit...	1	582	555	47	11	11	3	28	6	6	8,000	1	1,000	50.00
Princeton Station...	1	300	281	30	2	13	3	25	3	3	3,000	1	1,500	100.00
Concord Circuit...	2	422	341	25	63	7	10	66	8	6	4,700	1	700	300.00
East River Mission...	2	423	427	8	14	26	3	4	7	3	3,200			
Bluestone Circuit...	4	430	393	26	24	13	5	19	9	7	4,550			
Bluefield Station....	1	315	286	16	45	32	4	6	1	1	4,000	1	1,500	796.64
Pulaski Station	1	335	355	14	15	49	23	7	1	1	10,000			293.75
Total	29	5787	5712	357	282	564	116	288	77	62	\$79,175	9	\$17,425	4,379.89
<b>Tazewell Dist.</b>														
Tazewell Station	1	290	287	3	8	8	6	2	2	2	\$ 12,000	1	\$3,000	\$1000.00
E. Tazewell Circuit.	3	588	532	25	3	22	4	15	6	4	5,000	1	1,000	1000.00
N. Tazewell Mission.	1	182	136	52		6	5	35	9	1	150			
Clear Fork Mission...	3	642	631	19	5	13	11	1	11	8	6,800	1	575	
Graham Station	2	320	270	38	15	3	4	26	2	2	10,500	1	1,800	
Pocahontas Station.	1	159	137	5	21	4	4	2	1	1	10,000	1	2,500	1800.00
Cooper's Station	1	197	180	19	4	6	5	10	3	3	4,500			300.00
Bramwell Station...	1	165	159	5	6	5	4	1	1	1	4,400	1	1,200	121.00
Welch Mission.....	1	35		4	31		1	2	2	1	900			450.00
Liberty Hill Circuit.	1	367	320	20	21	1	22	13	3	4	7,500			240.00
Buchanan Mission...	3	304	281	17	8	2	5	15	6	3	1,500			110.00
Cedar Bluff Circuit...	3	362	349	15	11	13	17	12	8	6	5,000	1	700	150.00
Richland & Hon. Mis	3	373	254	23	106	10	2	20	1	2	3,500			
Algoma Station	1	150	50	76	24	2	5	4	3	3	4,500	1	500	1000.00
Maheury & Nor. Fork	1	160	85	40	45	10	3	4	3	3	2,500			1200.00
Total	21	4237	3671	361	308	103	95	207	62	44	\$78,750	8	\$11,275	\$7371.00
<b>Wytheville Dist</b>														
Wytheville Station	1	311	319	3	7	18	18	1	1	1	\$ 8,000	2	\$ 5,000	\$ 100.00
Wytheville Circuit.	1	930	942	13	23	48	46	3	9	8	14,600	1	3,500	265.08
E. Wytheville Mis	1	390	390	10		10	28	2	9	4	3,000			
Leadmines Circuit...	2	486	448	63	32	57	13	37	6	3	4,000			100.00
Max Meadows Circ't	2	482	481	16	28	43	36	16	5	3	5,000	1/2	900	55.00
Hillsville Circuit...	7	428	446	5	5	28	1	4	9	8	6,000	1	1,500	82.85
Old Town Circuit	7	578	578	15	5	20	2	5	10	7	7,000	1	1,000	87.50
Independence Circ't	2	768	683	90	7	12	15	90	10	8	8,800	1	500	200.00
Elk Creek Circuit...	4	625	618	13	4	10	4	8	8	8	6,100	1	600	
Spring Valley Circ't.	12	590	536	72	12	30	45	42	7	7	10,000			
Mount Airy Circuit	4	799	959	10	11	181	51	4	10	9	8,500	1	2,000	1000 00
Seddon Circuit.	5	594	594	12	24	6	14	14	10	6	5,000	1	5,000	
Sharon Springs Circ't	4	546	485	66	25	30	39	27	8	3	3,500	1	1,000	80.00
Marion Station	1	299	301	3	1	6			1	1	8,000			61.35
Marion Circuit.	2	700	670	35	4	9	10	25	8	8	12,000	1	2,000	100.00
Total	48	8526	8420	426	188	508	322	270	111	84	\$109,300	11	\$23,000	\$2131.78

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<b>Abingdon Dist.</b>														
Abingdon Station..	..	335	322	14	15	16	13	9	1	1	\$9,000	2	\$ 5,000	\$ 300.00
Abingdon Circuit ..	1	600	882	29	6	317	16	25	10	7	5,000	1	1,000	120.00
Holston Circuit	2	543	528	15	4	4	4	5	7	6	7,500	..	..	400.00
Mendota Circuit. ....	1	271	180	63	4	12	7	53	7	5	3,500	1	700	150.00
Mountain City Mis. ....	..	123	115	12	5	9	..	7	6	2	1,800	1	200	52.25
Emory Circuit	2	549	551	45	8	55	4	34	7	4	7,500	1	2,000	97.00
Saltville and Un. Cir.	..	240	182	36	24	2	..	28	4	2	4,500	1	1,500	250.00
Rich Valley Circuit..	1	422	285	132	14	9	36	93	9	4	4,000	..	..	1200.00
Bristol Main St. Sta.	4	658	611	40	50	43	16	20	1	1	21,000	1	2,000	75.00
Bristol And. St. Mis.	1	99	..	16	87	4	6	16	1	..	..	..	..	..
Bristol Mary St. Sta.	..	209	204	13	24	32	4	7	1	1	3,500	..	..	..
Bristol Circuit	1	522	537	6	6	27	..	4	10	7	7,200	1	500	400.00
Blountville Circuit..	3	766	565	29	129	17	6	15	8	6	6,000	1	800	59.00
Bluff City Circuit	..	608	413	73	142	20	12	54	9	4	5,000	..	..	17.40
Elizabethton Station	1	144	138	11	3	8	2	8	2	1	3,500	..	..	25.00
Total .....	17	6029	5513	534	557	575	126	378	83	51	\$89,000	10	\$13,700	\$3145.65
<b>Big Stone G. Dis</b>														
Big Stone Gap Sta..	2	153	197	1	7	52	1	..	1	1	\$ 7,000	1	\$ 2,500	\$ 629.00
Big Stone Gap Mis..	1	186	135	58	..	7	2	42	9	1	1,000	..	..	45.00
Gladeville Circuit..	..	194	179	..	14	1	..	2	5	3	3,200	1	900	198.00
Clintonwood Mission	2	162	168	2	1	9	11	2	7	4	2,500	1	300	..
Elk Garden Circuit..	3	326	315	11	..	..	5	11	3	3	10,000	1	2,000	20.00
Lebanon Circuit..	3	478	470	20	8	20	1	11	8	5	9,000	1	3,000	70.00
Dickensonville Cir.	2	593	544	52	8	11	1	33	9	7	7,800	1	1,200	25.00
Nickelsville Circuit.	5	444	410	48	5	19	7	21	13	3	1,300	..	..	..
Gate City Station..	..	210	201	10	5	6	5	6	2	2	5,000	1	-1,500	..
King sport Circuit..	2	522	524	2	5	9	15	3	9	6	4,000	1	400	1000.00
Hawkins Circuit..	1	541	518	33	3	13	8	19	11	8	8,500	1	600	700.00
Clinchport Circuit.	2	361	454	4	1	98	4	4	3	2	3,550	1	350	427.00
Stickleyville Circuit.	2	210	123	27	120	60	8	16	6	5	3,200	..	..	32.00
Pennington Gap Cir.	..	467	435	65	18	51	18	52	8	6	9,000	1	1,200	1095.00
Jonesville Circuit...	9	821	872	53	6	110	13	45	10	7	4,350	2	1,500	959.00
Powell s Valley Cir.	4	482	501	15	13	47	8	15	6	5	3,000	1/2	400	45.00
Cumberland Gap Sta	1	89	91	6	7	15	1	4	3	2	4,300	1	800	1275.00
Total .....	39	6235	6137	409	221	528	104	286	114	72	\$87,200	14	\$16,650	\$6520.00
<b>Morristown Dis</b>														
Morristown Station.	2	336	398	1	8	71	16	..	1	1	\$ 3,000	2	\$3,500	\$ 26.55
Morristown Circuit.	1	480	410	81	23	34	15	59	8	5	10,700	1	1,800	1.00
Mossy Creek Circuit	1	298	288	11	12	13	7	9	4	4	4,200	1	700	242.25
Newport Station ..	1	201	181	16	15	11	..	13	2	2	4,000	1	2,200	50.00
Johnson City Station	1	342	331	2	23	14	27	..	1	1	3,500	1	1,500	68.35
Jonesboro Station..	1	118	120	..	5	7	..	..	1	1	4,000	1	750	76.00
Jonesboro Circuit...	1	340	310	40	10	6	16	5	5	5	5,800	1	1,000	190.00
Tate Spring Circuit..	2	411	397	18	12	16	1	7	6	3	3,000	1	600	20.00
Rutledge Circuit....	2	264	242	17	10	5	..	10	5	3	3,200	..	..	..
Rogersville Station..	..	215	216	..	9	10	..	..	3	2	3,000	1	2,000	1400.00
Rheatown Circuit...	2	384	352	23	29	20	13	10	5	5	4,900	1	1,200	56.50
St. Clair Circuit	5	601	546	123	20	88	35	92	9	8	12,200	1	300	1047.00
Greeneville Station.	..	132	72	44	21	5	2	40	1	1	2,500	4	1,500	60.38
Greeneville Circuit..	2	287	272	18	17	20	7	5	7	7	8,200	..	..	160.00
Fall Branch Circuit..	..	245	240	6	7	8	2	4	9	6	6,500	1	700	480.00
Tazewell Circuit.	..	34	326	21	9	12	..	15	4	4	3,200	1	350	72.50
Erwin Mission.	..	229	190	33	9	3	..	..	7	5	1,500	..	..	..
Parrott. and War. Cir	1	375	272	91	21	9	10	70	9	7	7,100	1	800	275.00
Total .....	21	5602	5163	545	250	356	112	350	87	70	\$90,600	16	\$18,900	\$4225.55



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<b>Knoxville Dist.</b>														
Knox. Church St. Sta	1	577	562	27	52	64	9	8	1	1	\$52,500	1	\$12,500	\$194 97
Knox. Broad St. Sta.	2	541	540	20	10	29	5	12	1	1	40,000	1	4,000	104 00
Knox. Centen'y Sta.	2	346	346	31	14	45	4	23	1	2	3,500			
Knox. Foun. City Sta	1	134	134	6	7	13	4	2	1	1	9,000	1	1,000	80 00
Knoxville Circuit	2	297	286	33	18	40	8	26	6	5	3,700			755 00
Macedonia Circuit...	2	211	193	19	5	6	1	14	5	5	4,500	1	1,000	900 00
E. Fifth Ave. Station	3	102	83	10	16	7	1	5	2	2	2,500			36 00
Strawbery P. Cir	2	200	194	10	4		3	2	4	2	2,000		800	
Sevlerville Circuit	4	435	420	16	7	8	2	7	6	6	9,925	1	1,000	1,200 00
Maynardville Cir	2	237	239	1	1	3		5	5	5	3,650	1	400	59 85
Andersonville Cir.	4	272	268	3	5	4	6	3	5	5	4,051	1	665	66 00
Jacksboro Circuit.	3	241	237	3	1		3	5	5	5	4,200	1	1,500	73 00
Coal Creek Circuit.	1	98	93	2	9	6	2	2	1	1	1,600	1	535	115 01
Chilhowee Circuit.	1	171	159		15	3	11	4	4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1,500			
Highland Ave. Mis	1	141	97	55	15	26	1	26	1	1	3,450			1,842 25
Total	21	4003	3851	225	185	258	57	133	48	42 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	146,076	10	\$23,500	5,426 08
<b>Cleveland Dis.</b>														
Cleveland Station.	4	301	305	7	17	28	10	6	1	1	\$14,000			\$2847 58
Cleveland Circuit.	1	322	251	13	64	6	3	31	8	7	4,000			23 00
Charleston Circuit.	3	426	395	36	19	24	12	22	5	4	5,800	1	\$ 1,300	25 00
Riceville Circuit.	1	271	245	20	18	12	2	13	10	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2,850	1	000	112 40
Athens Station	1	146	130	3	13		1	3	2	1	5,000			55 00
Athens Circuit.	2	302	337	10	6	50	1	9	7	4	2,500	1	300	
Pucktown Mission	1	90	75	10	12	7		8	2	2	1,400			
Sweetwater Circuit.	3	312	240	71	15	14		48	3	3	14,000	1	600	
Madisonville Circuit	3	309	305	15	4	15	3	5	4	4	3,400	1	1,200	95 00
Eleazer Circuit	4	415	370	45	5	5	1	40	20	7	3,025			750 00
Decatur Circuit.	3	451	433	33	9	19	10	20	8	8	4,450	1	700	88 10
New Hope Circuit...	1	241	257	2	2	20	1	1	7	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3,200	1	550	330 10
Loudon Circuit	1	266	238	27	9	8	3	17	5	4	7,000	1	1,000	37 00
Lenoir Circuit	1	308	335	14	17	58	2	5	4	3	2,100	1	2,500	90 00
Louisville Circuit	1	288	282	25	9	28	6	17	7	7	8,800	1	1,000	75 00
Maryville Station	1	164	192	1	3	32	2	1	2	2	2,500	1	1,500	17 00
Total	21	4613	4390	332	217	326	56	246	95	69	\$84,125	11	11,250	\$1545 08
<b>Chattanooga D.</b>														
Chatt. Centenary.	2	769	758	14	52	55	11	7	1	1	\$10,000	1	\$5,000	\$429 00
Chatt. Whiteside St	1	340	363	3	8	34	3	2	1	2	12,000			400 00
Chatt. Cherry St	1	104	144	8	27	75	3	4	1	1	2,500			33 00
Chatt. St. Elmo	1	251	232	19	33	33	5	14	2	1	4,400			150 00
Rldgedale and Rossv	1	222	188	53	28	47	16	26	2	2	3,800			76 00
E. Chatt. and Clitico	1	110	115	7	6	18	2	3	2	2	4,000			99 06
Cole City & Etna Cir.	1	279	284	4	3	12		4	7	3	2,000			10 00
Tennooga Circuit.	3	338	433	11		156		8	6	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	500			
Trenton Circuit.	5	545	451	24	72	2	7	24	8	5	4,000	1	1,000	11 43
Ooltewah Circuit	2	400	396	8	11	15	3	5	7	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3,000	1	600	90 00
Hill City Station	1	131	138	8	10	25	3	5	1	1	3,500			4 00
Hamilton Circuit	1	266	306	6	6	52	4	4	8	3	2,000	1	250	20 00
South Pittsburg Sta	1	198	200	11	4	17		1	1	1	3,500			878 18
Highland Park Sta.	1	143	139	3	21	20	1		1	1	2,000			
Total	18	4096	4197	170	281	561	58	106	48	29	\$87,200	4	\$6,850	\$2230 70

Table No. 1.  
MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

NAME OF CHARGE	Local Pre'chrs	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Additions on Prof's'n Faith	Additions by Certif. &c.	Removals by Death, Cert. &c.	Infants Bap.	Adults Bap.	No. Societies	No. Churches	Value of Churches	No. Parson'gs	Value of Parsonages	Money expend. for Churches and Parsonages.
<b>Sequatchee Dis</b>														
Dayton Station	1	251	251	2	12	14	2	1	1	1	\$ 5,000			
Spring City Circuit.	1	258	250	4	11	7	2	7	4	3	2,700	1	\$ 1,200	
Evansville Circuit	3	304	266	4	37	3	4	4	11	3 1/2	1,500	1	500	\$ 100 00
Kingston Circuit		209	207	5	1	4	3	1	6	4	4,000	1	800	18 00
Harriman Station...	1	121	114	1	13	7	4	2	1	1	2,000			1 50
Clinton Station	2	126	120	4	10	8	2	2	2	2	5,000	1	2,300	100 00
Rockwood Station.	1	278	260	28	1	11	1	1	4	3	3,500			
Jamestown Misson.	2	147	150	1		4	1	1	7	2	700			
Jasper Station	1	170	165	8	5	8	1	6	1	1	3,000	1	1,000	352 00
Jasper Circuit.	1	358	371	2	15	30	4	2	9	7	5,600			
Dunlap & White. Ct.	2	457	444	13	1	1	6	12	7	1 1/2	1,200	1	500	6 00
Pikeville Circuit.	1	321	308	11	16	14	1	1	5	4	4,000	1	1,000	40 00
Cumberland Circuit.	7	375	367	7	4	3	2	5	8	5	3,000			
Clinton Circuit	2	170	160		13	3	1	3	8	4	2,800			50 00
<b>Total..</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>3545</b>	<b>3433</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>\$44,000</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>\$7,300</b>	<b>\$667 50</b>

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICT	Local Pre'chrs	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Additions on Prof's'n Faith	Additions by Certif. &c.	Removals by Death, Cert. &c.	Infants Bap.	Adults Bap.	No. Societies	No. Churches	Value of Churches	No. Parson'gs	Value of Parsonages	Money expend. for Churches and Parsonages.
Radford	29	5787	5712	357	282	534	116	285	77	62	\$ 79,175	9	\$ 17,425	\$ 4,379 89
Tazewell	21	4237	3671	361	308	103	95	207	62	44	78,750	8	11,275	7,371 00
Wytheville	48	8526	8420	426	188	508	322	270	111	84	109,300	11 1/2	23,000	2,131 75
Abingdon	17	6029	5513	534	557	575	126	378	83	51	89,000	10	13,700	3,145 65
Big Stone Gap	39	6239	6137	409	221	528	104	286	114	72	87,200	14 1/2	16,650	6,520 00
Morristown	21	5602	5163	545	250	356	142	350	87	70	90,500	16	18,900	4,225 53
Knoxville	21	4003	3851	225	185	258	57	133	48	42	146,076	10	23,500	5,426 08
Cleveland	21	4613	4390	332	217	326	56	246	95	69	84,125	11	11,250	4,545 08
Chattanooga.	18	4096	4197	179	281	561	58	106	48	29	87,200	4	6,850	2,230 70
Sequatchee..	24	3545	3433	90	139	117	40	65	74	42	44,000	7	7,300	667 50
<b>Total..</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>52677</b>	<b>50487</b>	<b>3458</b>	<b>2628</b>	<b>3896</b>	<b>1116</b>	<b>2329</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>\$896,326</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>\$149,850</b>	<b>\$40,643 21</b>
.. last year	272	50487		5910	2872	3820	1146	3728	471	556	9 7,294	91	161,675	58,816 14
Increase...		2190			76		30	1399	328	11		10		
Decrease..	13			2482	244						\$ 20,968		\$ 11,825	\$18,172 93

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           MISS MAGGIE McNUTT.....Wytheville, Va.  
*Abingdon*—MRS. W. S. STALEY.....Marion, Va.  
           MRS. S. A. ADAMS.....Emory, Va.  
*Big Stone Gap*—MISS BESSIE GRAY.....Dickensonville, Va.  
           MISS LINNIE K. WOLFE.....Clinchport, Va.  
*Morristown*—(To be supplied).  
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           MISS KATE LENOIR.....Lenoir City, Tenn.  
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## A BIT OF FINANCIAL HISTORY.

1878 to 1879.....	\$ 167 32
1879 to 1880.....	655 83
1880 to 1881.....	733 22
1881 to 1882.....	1,206 81
1882 to 1883.....	1,417 95
1883 to 1884.....	1,867 98
1884 to 1885.....	2,476 16
1885 to 1886.....	2,623 60
1886 to 1887.....	2,023 94
1887 to 1888.....	3,517 55
1888 to 1889.....	4,125 41
1889 to 1890.....	4,162 64
1890 to 1891.....	3,247 74
1891 to 1892.....	2,578 14
1892 to 1893.....	2,796 82
1893 to 1894.....	2,581 79
1894 to 1895.....	2,799 92
Total since organization.....	\$38 982 82
Memorial Fund to Miss Baker since organization, \$154.80.	
Amount to Miss Bennett for Training School, \$1,619.20.	

**Table No. 2.**  
**SUPPORT OF THE MINISTRY.**

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elders		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Radford District</b>								
1 Rad. Grove Ave	\$145 00	\$145 00	\$1000 00	\$1000 00	\$15 58	\$15 58	\$52 30	\$52 30
2 Rad. Bourne Mem.	65 00	50 35	400 00	309 67	7 92	7 92	23 45	23 45
3 Auburn Circuit.	95 00	66 34	500 00	349 19	10 21	9 00	34 10	28 00
4 Jacksonville Circ't	65 00	45 00	300 00	183 00	6 92	2 00	23 75	9 20
5 Hylton Misson.	20 00	16 00	105 00	84 00	2 15	2 15	7 25	7 25
6 New River Circuit..	50 00	28 89	400 00	231 14	5 37	2 00	18 05	3 00
7 Newbern Circuit...	140 00	123 92	750 00	674 93	15 00	9 50	50 50	35 00
8 Pulaski Mission	50 00	37 55	400 00	300 46	5 37	3 00	18 03	15 00
9 Staffordville Circ't	100 00	89 15	550 00	490 29	10 00	8 00	36 10	14 50
10 Pearisburg Circuit.	115 00	115 00	600 00	688 00	12 35	12 35	41 50	37 85
11 Princeton Station...	100 00	87 68	600 00	525 79	10 75	8 00	36 10	22 00
12 Concord Circuit...	60 00	46 20	340 00	261 00	6 45	4 00	21 65	13 00
13 East River Misson	55 00	26 79	400 00	214 64	5 91	1 55	19 05	5 00
14 Bluestone Circuit.	60 00	36 47	340 00	195 81	6 45	3 00	21 65	13 00
15 Bluefield Station...	140 00	141 00	840 00	850 00	15 04	15 04	50 50	50 50
16 Pulaski Station	140 00	121 24	725 00	636 14	15 04	8 00	50 50	23 00
Total .....	\$1400 00	\$1176 58	\$8250 00	\$6994 08	\$150 51	\$111 09	\$504 48	\$352 05
<b>Tazewell District</b>								
1 Tazewell Station...	\$120 00	\$120 00	\$800 00	\$800 00	\$ 12 00	\$ 9 05	\$ 41 00	\$ 22 95
2 E. Tazewell Circuit	100 00	100 00	600 00	600 00	11 00	11 00	36 00	36 00
3 N. Tazewell Misson	30 00	19 74	200 00	111 90	2 00	2 00	7 00	1 00
4 Clear Folk Misson.	80 00	65 47	423 00	346 10	9 00	6 00	30 00	8 91
5 Graham Station...	95 00	95 00	550 00	550 00	12 00	10 00	38 00	20 00
6 Pocahontas Station	100 00	100 00	600 00	600 00	8 00	8 00	35 00	15 00
7 Coopers Station	100 00	49 42	500 00	247 10	8 00	4 00	25 00	12 00
8 *Bramwell Station	150 00	86 05	749 42	476 35	13 00	4 00	42 00	10 00
9 Welch Mission	60 00	35 00	325 00	200 00	4 00	1 00	13 00	6 00
10 Liberty Hill Circuit	100 00	81 46	625 00	678 08	12 00	5 52	38 00	17 50
11 Buchanan Mission.	40 00	17 12	200 00	69 57	3 00	2 00	9 00	5 00
12 †Cedar Bluff Circuit	75 00	51 89	438 00	308 42	9 00	9 00	30 00	30 25
13 Rich. and Hon. Mis	75 00	50 00	380 00	284 00	6 00	3 10	20 00	5 00
14 Algoma Station	140 00	108 72	1000 00	695 42	8 00	2 00	25 00	5 00
15 Mabeury and N. Fk	65 00	25 00	360 00	125 00	6 00	2 50	20 00	7 50
Total .....	\$1310 00	\$1004 87	\$7750 42	\$6091 94	\$123 00	\$ 79 17	\$409 00	\$202 11
<b>Wytheville Dist.</b>								
1 Wytheville Station	\$100 00	\$ 84 84	\$800 00	\$678 73	\$ 13 17	\$ 13 17	\$ 46 33	\$ 46 33
2 Wytheville Circuit.	100 00	93 28	700 00	653 05	14 45	14 45	48 00	30 00
3 E. Wytheville Mis..	25 00	21 05	250 00	208 55	3 66	3 60	12 35	7 00
4 Lead Mines Circuit	85 00	77 22	600 00	550 50	12 36	12 36	41 40	38 00
5 Max Meadows Cir.	85 00	80 92	600 00	571 25	12 35	12 35	41 40	41 40
6 Hillsville Circuit..	50 00	22 22	400 00	177 64	7 28	7 28	24 64	6 27
7 Old Town Circuit...	55 00	39 00	400 00	335 00	8 48	4 00	28 75	10 00
8 Independence Cir..	85 00	58 09	500 00	348 54	7 00	4 00	37 00	20 00
9 Elk Creek Circuit..	75 00	56 17	500 00	376 75	11 00	11 00	37 12	16 00
10 Spring Valley Circ't	67 00	63 75	400 00	380 60	11 00	10 00	37 12	10 00
11 Mt. Alry Circuit ...	100 00	83 72	625 00	525 42	14 43	14 43	48 87	48 87
12 Seddon Circuit...	85 00	55 39	500 00	366 69	12 00	7 00	41 00	10 00
13 Sharon Springs Cir.	60 00	41 15	447 00	313 40	8 70	2 80	29 46	14 30
14 Marlon Station...	100 00	92 00	500 00	742 00	14 45	14 45	48 87	48 87
15 Marlon Circuit...	100 00	90 45	650 00	582 69	14 00	13 00	48 00	32 00
Total .....	\$1172 00	\$959 25	\$8172 00	\$6810 81	\$184 33	\$143 89	\$570 31	\$379 04

\*Amount paid P. E., \$71.62; paid P. C., \$500. †Cedar Bluff Cir.—Paid for F. M., \$19.

Table No. 2.  
BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.

No. of Charge	Foreign Missions		Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Paine & Lane	Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects	Total from all Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid				
1	\$93 20	\$93 20	\$72 50	\$72 50	\$45 05	\$45 05	\$27 91	\$27 91	\$5 59		\$666 51	\$2,123 64
2	41 80	41 80	32 50	32 50	20 20	20 20	12 52	12 52	2 50	3 50	252 00	756 41
3	67 08	40 00	47 50	23 76	29 50	10 00	18 30	8 00	1 50		921 00	1,463 03
4	41 80	10 50	32 50	5 00	20 20	3 00	12 52	2 00			11 00	270 79
5	12 85	12 85	10 00	10 00	6 20	6 20	3 85	3 85			115 00	258 10
6	32 14	10 70	25 00	9 35	15 54	1 95	9 63	1 00			1 92	309 95
7	90 00	50 00	70 00	35 00	43 50	23 00	26 96	10 00			669 69	1,632 54
8	32 15	23 00	25 00	15 00	15 54	8 50	9 63	5 00			50	829 31
9	62 50	46 50	46 00	25 55	28 05	10 00	14 20	1 00			1 00	685 99
10	73 94	72 78	57 50	41 89	35 74	23 65	22 15	7 33			4 40	1,005 65
11	64 25	40 00	50 00	30 00	30 08	18 00	19 26	12 00			2 25 1 60	747 32
12	38 60	25 00	30 00	18 00	18 65	11 20	11 60	7 00			1 40	806 85
13	35 50	41 80	27 50	15 00	17 45	6 90	10 60	1 00			50	346 97
14	38 60	25 00	30 00	8 00	18 65		11 55	3 09				284 28
15	90 00	90 00	70 00	70 00	43 50		26 96	26 96			5 40	2,361 30
16	90 00	44 00	70 00	32 00	43 50	19 50	26 96	7 25				1,263 40
	\$904 41	\$667 13	\$696 00	\$443 55	\$431 35	\$250 65	\$264 60	135 82	30 26	6 40	4,856 53	\$15,024 11
1	\$90 00	\$47 70	\$80 00	\$42 40	\$43 00	\$22 80	\$28 00	\$14 85	\$2 55			\$1,082 30
2	80 00	80 00	70 00	70 00	38 00	38 00	20 00	20 00			1068 00	2,023 00
3	15 00	2 00	13 00	2 00	8 00	1 00	5 00				12 02	151 66
4	65 00	20 00	58 00	17 93	31 00	10 00	22 00	7 00				481 41
5	85 00	60 00	76 00	40 00	41 00	5 00	27 00	5 00	2 00	3 00	854 06	1,644 06
6	70 00	30 00	50 00	20 00	35 60	10 00					1800 00	2,583 00
7	35 00	19 50	49 00	15 00	37 00	9 00	17 00	7 00	3 63		337 10	703 77
8	95 00	52 77	84 00	12 00	45 00	7 00	30 00	4 60	2 65			655 42
9	25 00	3 87	30 00	19 13	14 00	5 00	10 00				50	722 50
10	85 00	39 18	76 00	34 95	40 00	18 42	27 00	12 43	2 00	2 00	150 00	1,041 54
11	20 00	11 00	18 00	9 00	10 00	1 00						114 69
12	65 00	13 00	58 00	12 00	31 00	5 00	30 00				50	633 00
13	45 00	10 00	40 00	7 50	22 00	6 00						235 60
14	55 00	5 00	49 00	10 00	26 00	14 00	16 00		3 00	1 00		844 11
15	45 00	10 00	40 00	5 00	21 00	10 00					5 00	490 00
	\$305 00	\$404 02	\$791 00	\$316 91	\$442 00	\$157 72	\$232 00	\$70 88	\$15 85	\$7 00	\$4885 62	\$13,236 09
1	\$80 57	\$80 57	\$64 45	\$64 45	\$36 25	\$36 25	\$19 00	\$19 00	\$3 80		\$ 1 98	\$1,029 12
2	85 00	60 00	68 00	50 00	38 25	25 00	19 12	10 00	2 00	3 22	1030 99	1,971 59
3	21 38	5 00	17 88	5 00	9 66		4 80				7 10	257 30
4	72 00	72 00	55 00	55 00	32 40	17 00	16 00	9 50	2 00	2 47	100 00	936 05
5	72 00	72 00	55 00	55 00	32 00	20 35	16 00	9 05	3 20	6 00	77 53	949 05
6	42 84	6 60	34 28	5 50	9 64	2 00	19 25	1 00		20	104 61	333 32
7	55 00	40 00	41 13	10 00	22 24	4 00	12 25	1 00	55		137 92	581 17
8	70 00	25 00	60 00	46 00	30 00	1 00	20 00	1 00				503 63
9	64 44	22 00	53 52	20 00	29 00	12 00	14 15	4 00	1 00	2 00	103 00	623 92
10	64 44	22 50	53 52	17 50	29 00	9 00	14 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	152 87	671 22
11	85 00	85 00	68 00	68 00	38 25	28 25	19 12	11 25		2 00	1093 55	1,960 49
12	70 00	19 00	50 00	11 00	30 00	6 00	15 00	6 00				481 08
13	51 67	22 25	41 00	15 60	23 00	10 20	11 53	2 35	1 10	80		423 95
14	85 00	80 39	68 00	68 00	38 25	38 25	19 12	19 12		2 00	148 57	1,253 65
15	85 00	57 00	63 00	40 00	38 00	23 00	19 00	4 06		10 00	100 00	952 20
	\$904 35	\$669 31	\$797 78	\$531 05	\$435 94	\$232 30	\$238 34	100 33	\$14 65	29 69	\$3058 12	\$12,928 44

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**SUPPORT OF THE MINISTRY.**

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elders		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Abingdon Dis.</b>								
1 Abingdon Station...	\$ 118 00	\$118 75	\$ 800 00	\$800 00	\$ 16 00	\$ 16 00	\$ 55 00	\$ 55 00
2 Abingdon Circuit...	74 00	74 00	500 00	500 00	10 00	10 00	33 00	33 00
3 Holston Circuit...	100 00	59 21	700 00	411 66	13 00	8 00	46 00	10 00
4 Mendota Circuit...	46 00	31 15	375 00	230 00	6 00	2 00	20 00	4 03
5 Mountain City Mis.	38 00	27 81	250 00	185 62	5 00	2 25	16 00	5 00
6 Emory Circuit.....	160 00	89 00	710 00	619 00	14 00	10 00	46 00	40 00
7 Saltv. & Union Cir.	86 00	86 00	600 00	600 00	12 00	12 00	40 00	30 00
8 Rich Valley Circuit	47 00	33 50	353 00	254 29	7 00	5 00	24 00	7 00
9 Bristol, Main st. Sta	216 00	172 50	1500 00	1220 15	29 00	29 00	100 00	100 00
10 Bristol, And. st. Mis	50 00	44 76	400 14	358 14	8 00	4 00	17 00	14 00
11 Bristol, Mary st. Sta	86 00	52 80	600 00	424 28	12 00	10 00	40 00	25 00
12 Bristol Circuit	86 00	20 94	600 00	146 25	12 00	3 35	40 00	4 44
13 Blountville Circuit	100 00	79 56	709 00	557 04	13 00	9 58	46 00	8 79
14 Bluff City Circuit	77 00	61 64	528 00	422 84	10 00	10 00	35 00	15 00
15 Elizabethton Sta...	66 00	56 16	475 00	407 20	10 00	5 00	32 00	15 00
Total .....	\$1290 00	\$1007 58	\$9081 14	\$7136 57	\$177 00	\$135 98	\$590 00	\$366 23
<b>Big Stone Gap D.</b>								
1 Big Stone Gap Sta	\$ 108 00	\$ 66 47	\$ 650 00	\$425 86	\$ 7 00	\$ 2 50	\$ 23 00	.....
2 Big Stone Gap Mis.	20 00	13 98	120 00	76 88	2 00	1 00	5 00	2 00
3 Gladeville Circuit.	60 00	47 09	400 00	282 54	5 00	5 00	15 00	5 00
4 Clintwood Mission.	36 00	20 71	216 00	124 90	2 00	1 00	7 00	2 00
5 Elk Garden Cir...	71 00	54 54	420 00	320 50	7 00	3 00	28 00	7 00
6 Lebanon Circuit...	91 00	70 00	550 00	460 00	6 00	6 00	13 00	13 00
7 Dickensonville Cir.	100 00	73 81	600 00	443 11	7 00	4 00	27 00	15 00
8 Nickelsville Cir...	55 00	29 46	350 00	176 50	4 00	4 00	17 00	4 70
9 Gate City Station...	100 00	70 34	600 00	422 14	7 00	4 00	23 00	5 00
10 Kingsport Circuit.	66 66	38 84	400 00	233 62	5 00	5 00	20 00	15 00
11 Hawkins Circuit	84 00	60 94	500 00	373 24	7 00	6 00	25 00	5 00
12 Clinchport Circuit.	55 00	32 71	330 00	196 29	5 00	5 00	15 00	2 50
13 Stickleyville Cir....	40 00	33 33	240 00	200 00	3 00	1 00	14 00	5 00
14 PenningtonGap Cir	82 00	64 18	500 00	385 28	6 00	6 00	20 00	11 00
15 Jonesville Circuit.	100 00	86 20	600 00	518 00	8 00	8 00	30 00	15 00
16 Powell's Valley Cir	83 00	49 97	500 00	379 25	7 00	6 00	25 00	9 00
17 Cumberland G. Sta	30 00	31 42	184 50	188 15	4 00	.....	15 00	3 15
Total .....	\$1181 66	\$843 99	\$7140 50	\$5205 96	\$92 00	\$67 50	\$322 00	\$119 35
<b>Morristown Dis.</b>								
1 Morristown Sta	\$ 140 00	\$140 00	\$ 800 00	\$800 00	\$ 19 95	\$ 19 95	\$ 65 34	\$ 65 34
2 Morristown Circuit	80 00	70 07	600 00	511 78	16 85	10 00	37 40	20 00
3 Mossy Creek Cir...	75 00	69 69	450 00	418 14	10 70	2 00	35 00	10 00
4 Newport Station...	70 00	66 71	575 00	546 24	10 00	10 00	30 00	25 00
5 Johnson City Sta...	125 00	125 00	800 00	800 00	17 82	17 82	57 90	57 90
6 Jonesboro Station.	60 00	36 11	450 00	367 00	8 60	8 60	28 00	10 25
7 Jonesboro Circuit	50 00	50 00	300 00	300 00	7 15	6 15	23 40	14 75
8 Tate Spring Circuit	55 00	46 54	450 00	380 75	7 85	7 85	25 70	20 00
9 Rutledge Circuit...	45 00	33 44	260 00	193 20	6 45	6 45	21 00	3 35
10 Rogersville Station	60 00	47 19	540 00	424 80	8 60	5 00	28 00	21 08
11 Rheatown Circuit...	75 00	65 00	400 00	375 00	11 45	4 00	87 40	12 00
12 St. Clair Circuit	67 00	57 55	600 00	508 98	10 04	10 04	30 00	25 00
13 Greeneville Sta....	45 00	43 00	325 00	314 50	6 45	4 60	21 00	16 00
14 Greeneville Circuit	48 00	27 22	450 00	254 10	5 75	5 75	18 70	28 00
15 Fall Branch Circuit	40 00	22 85	370 00	224 50	5 70	2 50	18 70	3 25
16 Tazewell Circuit...	70 00	39 23	500 00	275 91	9 95	5 25	37 70	5 25
17 Erwin Mission.	40 00	12 30	180 00	53 00	9 75	1 00	18 70	.....
18 Parrottsville & War'b'g Cir	50 00	34 19	350 00	239 32	7 15	5 00	23 40	11 00
Total .....	\$1195 00	\$986 09	\$8400 00	\$6927 22	\$180 21	\$131 96	\$557 34	\$348 17

Table No. 2.  
BENEVOLENT COLLECTION.

No. of Charge	Foreign Missions		Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Paine & Lane	Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects	Total from all Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid				
1	\$92 00	\$92 00	\$71 00	\$71 00	\$40 00	\$40 00	\$23 00	\$23 00	\$5 00	\$5 00	\$638 69	\$7,564 44
2	55 00	24 06	43 00	17 14	24 00	6 00	14 00	6 22	1 21	1,259 75	1,931 38	
3	77 00	25 00	59 00	19 35	33 00	10 00	20 00	3 00				546 22
4	33 00	10 00	26 00	13 00	14 00	3 00	8 00	1 00		60		291 75
5	30 00	11 00	21 00	9 00	12 00	4 00	7 00	1 82		1 00	58 85	396 35
6	77 00	40 00	59 00	31 00	33 00	17 00	20 00	20 00	2 00		95 00	963 00
7	66 00	26 00	52 00	33 25	29 00	10 00	17 00	2 00	3 00		250 00	1,052 25
8	40 00	10 00	31 17	10 00	17 00	10 00	10 00	5 00	3 00		1,215 03	1,552 62
9	161 00	100 00	129 00	85 00	70 00	35 00						1,741 65
10	45 00	20 00	35 00	19 54	19 00	5 00	11 00	5 00		1 00	64 85	336 29
11	66 00	31 32	52 00	24 75	28 00	5 00	17 00	4 00	1 00	1 23	181 19	760 67
12	66 00	4 00	52 00	3 00	29 00		2 10				406 00	590 08
13	77 00	44 03	59 00	22 36	32 00	7 09	20 00	3 32	1 47		88 84	821 88
14	59 00	20 00	45 00	18 00	23 00	8 00	14 00	5 00	1 00	77	200 90	763 15
15	53 00	10 00	41 00	10 00	23 00	6 04	13 60	5 00			46 00	560 40
	\$907 00	\$467 41	\$775 17	\$386 39	\$426 00	\$168 23	\$194 00	\$84 36	\$16 47	10 81	10205 10	\$19,985 13
1	\$56 00		\$36 00	\$29 50	\$15 00	\$14 25	\$17 00				\$ 3 20	\$ 541 78
2	15 00	5 00	10 00	6 42	5 00		3 00		2 00			107 28
3	35 00	5 00	28 00	10 00	11 00	5 00	9 00	2 00			230 10	591 73
4	18 00	1 00	15 00	15 22	5 00		5 00					174 83
5	66 00	8 00	55 00	7 00	11 00		15 00					400 04
6	40 00	30 00	30 00	28 50	10 00	5 00						616 95
7	63 00	31 30	50 00	16 00	20 00	4 30	17 00	2 00	40			589 92
8	38 00	9 00	30 00	5 00	12 00	3 00	10 00	2 50	1 00		79 00	314 26
9	56 00	6 00	36 00	5 00	15 00	5 00	17 00	2 00	1 50		337 60	858 58
10	45 00	22 76	36 00	30 00	14 00	5 00	12 00				1,001 10	1,350 72
11	60 00	20 00	45 00	16 00	18 00	3 00	16 00					484 18
12	35 00	7 50	28 00	5 00	15 00	5 00	9 60	1 50			10 00	265 50
13	20 00	7 00	16 00	7 00	12 00	2 50	7 00	1 00	2 00		76 00	334 83
14	40 00	20 00	40 00	20 00	15 00	7 00	10 00	6 00		1 00	1,177 12	1,697 58
15	70 00	55 00	55 00	30 00	22 00	22 00	18 00		4 00		18 81	757 01
16	60 00	15 00	45 00	15 25	18 00	5 50	15 00		1 50			481 47
17	35 00	13 00	28 00	10 85	11 00	7 00	9 00				1,347 47	1,601 01
	\$752 00	\$255 56	\$583 00	\$256 74	\$229 00	\$93 55	\$189 00	\$16 80	\$16 85	1 00	\$4290 40	\$11,167 70
1	105 00	105 00	81 67	81 67	47 84	47 84	29 50	29 50	5 90	10 85	123 99	1,430 04
2	60 00	50 00	46 67	30 00	27 34	4 00	16 85	1 25	1 00		375 00	1,073 10
3	56 25	25 00	43 75	15 00	25 62	5 00	15 80	5 00			242 25	792 08
4	55 00	30 00	45 00	20 00	25 00	20 00	15 00				50 00	767 95
5	93 75	44 69	72 92	40 08	42 71	24 08	26 00	26 00	5 72	4 30		1,145 59
6	45 00	11 25	35 00	8 75	20 00	4 25	12 00	1 40		50	251 89	640 00
7	37 50	16 50	28 17	16 50	17 10	6 00	10 00	2 00			44 60	456 50
8	41 25	20 00	32 10	25 10	18 80	3 00	11 17	2 17			20 00	525 41
9	33 75	33 75	26 25	26 25	15 38	2 58	9 55	2 00	1 90	50	65 22	368 64
10	45 00	15 00	35 00	19 86	20 00		15 00					532 93
11	60 00	14 00	43 00	12 00	20 00	9 00	14 00	3 00		76	111 23	605 99
12	50 25	50 25	36 11	36 11	20 29	10 00	14 10	7 00	1 50		434 89	1,141 32
13	33 75	20 00	26 25	26 25	15 38	8 60	9 48		1 90		443 77	878 62
14	30 00	2 75	23 45	3 00	13 67	1 00	8 43					321 82
15	30 00	4 00	23 45	3 75	13 67	1 00	8 00				470 50	732 35
16	52 50	10 00	40 84	10 00	32 94		14 35					345 64
17	30 00	3 00	23 45	2 00	14 50		8 05					71 30
18	37 50	10 00	29 17	9 00	17 00	1 00	10 58			50	2 10	312 11
	896 50	465 19	692 25	385 32	407 24	147 35	247 86	79 32	19 18	16 15	2,635 44	12,141 39

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SUPPORT OF THE MINISTRY.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Knoxville Dist.</b>								
1 Church St. Sta. . . . .	\$350 00	\$350 00	\$2500 00	\$2500 00	\$49 12	\$19 12	\$173 75	\$188 16
2 Broad St. Sta. . . . .	210 00	210 00	1250 00	1250 00	29 40	29 40	104 25	104 25
3 Centenary Sta. . . . .	85 00	80 00	700 00	700 00	11 93	11 93	42 20	42 20
4 Fountain City Sta. . . . .	90 00	78 00	800 00	700 00	12 63	11 60	41 69	44 69
5 Knoxville Circuit . . . . .	40 00	26 73	430 00	395 00	5 62	3 75	19 86	13 00
6 Macedonia Circuit. . . . .	65 00	22 91	435 00	328 00	9 12	6 00	32 27	12 00
7 E. Fifth Ave. Sta. . . . .	40 00	31 00	400 00	310 00	5 62	2 00	19 86	5 00
8 Strawby Plains Ct. . . . .	100 00	61 85	525 00	475 90	14 00	9 00	49 00	15 00
9 Sevierville Circuit. . . . .	100 00	82 42	525 00	450 00	13 48	8 20	43 65	19 00
10 Maynardville Ct. . . . .	45 00	19 08	400 00	171 39	6 38	1 00	22 35	2 39
11 Andersonville Ct. . . . .	80 00	32 65	500 00	279 29	6 74	4 00	24 82	5 25
12 Jacksboro Circuit. . . . .	160 00	45 52	500 00	309 00	14 00	5 00	49 65	25 7
13 Coal Creek Circuit. . . . .	3 00	24 50	375 00	221 00	3 51	3 51	12 40	15 00
14 Chilhowee Circuit. . . . .	25 00	15 68	200 00	127 65	3 50	1 00	12 00	.....
15 Highland Ave. Mis. . . . .	25 00	25 00	300 00	300 00	3 51	3 51	12 40	12 40
Total . . . . .	\$1285 00	\$1118 34	\$9840 00	\$8508 23	\$188 56	\$149 02	\$663 15	\$503 51
<b>Cleveland Dist.</b>								
1 Cleveland Station. . . . .	\$126 00	\$107 77	\$800 00	\$700 00	\$13 00	\$13 00	\$41 70	\$41 70
2 Cleveland Circuit. . . . .	43 00	40 00	275 00	275 00	4 50	.....	14 00	.....
3 Charleston Circuit. . . . .	78 50	68 74	500 00	437 84	8 00	7 00	26 20	20 10
4 Riceville Circuit. . . . .	94 00	65 40	600 00	417 46	9 90	4 00	39 50	24 15
5 Athens Station. . . . .	70 00	70 00	450 00	450 00	7 40	7 40	23 50	23 50
6 Athens Circuit. . . . .	53 00	26 21	275 00	171 70	4 50	2 00	14 50	4 34
7 Ducktown Mission. . . . .	31 00	22 70	200 00	153 36	3 30	1 20	10 50	5 00
8 Sweetwater Circuit . . . . .	101 50	101 50	650 00	660 00	10 40	10 40	34 00	34 00
9 Madisonville Ct. . . . .	67 30	36 00	430 00	326 16	7 00	4 00	22 50	5 00
10 Kleazer Circuit. . . . .	42 00	24 00	210 00	82 61	4 50	.....	8 00	.....
11 Decatur Circuit . . . . .	89 00	63 55	569 00	396 06	9 30	6 00	29 70	10 80
12 New Hope Circuit. . . . .	47 00	32 73	300 00	208 90	5 00	2 50	15 70	3 11
13 Loudon Circuit. . . . .	86 00	66 93	550 00	428 07	9 00	6 00	28 00	10 00
14 Lenoir Circuit . . . . .	136 00	92 10	864 00	585 24	14 00	6 00	45 00	10 16
15 Loulsv. & Allegh'y. . . . .	82 00	82 00	610 00	530 10	8 50	7 50	27 00	21 00
16 Maryville Station . . . . .	63 00	63 00	400 00	423 00	6 50	5 00	21 00	14 00
Total . . . . .	\$1199 30	\$962 63	\$7683 00	\$6245 50	\$124 80	\$82 00	\$400 50	\$226 86
<b>Chattanooga Dis.</b>								
1 Centenary Station. . . . .	\$420 00	\$430 00	\$2400 00	\$2400 00	\$58 85	\$58 85	\$213 35	\$213 35
2 Whiteside St. Sta. . . . .	70 00	50 00	800 00	550 00	.....	1 00	.....	1 00
3 Cherry St. Station. . . . .	55 00	23 00	600 00	252 00	7 53	2 00	27 28	4 00
4 St. Elmo Station. . . . .	75 30	52 66	750 00	526 87	9 50	5 00	37 21	19 60
5 Ridged. & Bossy . . . . .	70 00	58 94	500 00	421 06	9 58	1 95	34 73	9 60
6 E. Chatta. & Citico. . . . .	40 00	28 65	350 00	250 73	5 47	5 47	19 80	5 00
7 Cole City & Etna . . . . .	65 00	29 87	455 00	209 11	7 10	.....	24 00	2 00
8 Tennesoa Circuit. . . . .	50 00	26 96	300 00	164 01	6 86	1 00	24 80	2 88
9 Trenton Circuit . . . . .	80 00	51 75	600 00	402 72	10 00	6 00	39 69	2 00
10 Ooltawah Circuit . . . . .	60 00	35 95	450 00	271 88	8 21	.....	29 76	2 00
11 Hill City Station. . . . .	85 00	72 30	475 00	404 35	7 50	2 00	41 40	5 00
12 Hamilton Circuit. . . . .	50 00	20 38	330 00	152 16	6 86	16	24 80	1 00
13 S. Pittsburg Sta. . . . .	115 50	74 00	800 00	520 00	12 00	5 00	35 00	17 00
14 Highland Park Sta. . . . .	50 00	40 36	500 00	403 79	6 86	2 00	24 80	10 00
Total . . . . .	\$1345 00	\$994 82	\$9310 00	\$6932 68	\$147 42	\$90 43	\$577 32	\$293 83



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BENEVOLENT COLLECTION.

No of Charge	Foreign Missions		Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		Paine & Lane	Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects	Total from all Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid				
1	\$279 25	\$341 36	\$217 10	\$217 10	\$116 66	\$116 66	\$77 39	\$77 39	\$15 47	18 50	\$2556 85	\$641 61
2	167 55	167 55	130 25	130 25	70 00	70 00	46 79	46 79			2587 45	4595 69
3	67 85	67 85	52 75	52 75	28 34	28 34	18 82	18 82	3 76		321 03	1322 92
4	71 85	50 00	55 80	39 60	30 00	15 00	19 94	7 55	3 00	1 85		951 29
5	31 95	33 85	24 80	24 80	13 33	8 75	8 87	5 85	1 25	1 20	873 64	1397 82
6	51 85	20 00	40 80	20 00	27 67	6 00	14 40	1 00	1 00	2 00	905 01	1322 92
7	31 95	20 00	24 80	24 80	13 33	1 00	8 87			1 00	288 90	683 70
8	79 00	60 00	62 00	40 00	33 00	6 00	22 00				3 00	673 75
9	85 11	42 50	67 35	42 00	33 33	3 00	15 95	1 75		6 87	1253 65	1909 39
10	35 65	10 00	27 40	5 85	27 90	1 00	15 00				73 60	284 31
11	42 55	10 00	30 67	7 00	16 67		7 98				71 75	409 94
12	79 83	79 83	62 05	10 00	33 33	10 00	22 12	4 00				479 52
13	19 95	19 95	15 65	15 65	8 34	8 40	5 35		3 85		158 82	470 68
14	19 95	4 00	15 65	3 00	8 00		5 00				125 00	276 33
15	19 95	20 00	15 65	15 65	8 34	8 34	5 55	5 55	1 10		2163 88	2555 43
	1084 24	946 89	842 72	648 45	468 24	282 49	294 03	168 70	29 43	31 42	11382 58	23764 30
1	79 00	79 00	63 00	63 00	23 00	23 00	24 00	24 00	4 50		2289 01	3345 01
2	27 00	3 50	21 00	5 00	7 00		8 00				90	324 40
3	49 00	15 20	40 00	19 10	14 00	6 00	15 00				295 55	869 33
4	59 50	30 00	47 00	23 00	16 00	5 00	18 00	4 00	1 00			574 01
5	44 55	36 58	35 00	37 74	12 00	6 00	13 00	7 00		13 00	187 00	1138 18
6	27 00	11 93	21 00	10 29	7 00	1 50	8 00	1 14	50	1 26	23 00	253 87
7	19 50	14 25	15 00	14 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	1 75			1 00	218 26
8	64 50	101 35	51 50	58 50	18 00	18 00	19 00	19 00	3 80	5 00	553 99	1563 54
9	42 50	12 00	33 00	10 00	11 50	1 00	12 50	1 00	50		4 00	399 66
10	26 00	8 00	21 00	2 00	11 00		10 00					116 61
11	53 50	30 00	45 00	23 00	14 00	8 50	17 00	3 00	1 50			542 41
12	29 50	7 00	23 50	6 35	8 00		9 00				330 10	590 69
13	51 50	51 50	43 00	43 00	15 00	6 00	16 00	8 00		1 00	100 00	720 50
14	85 50	12 00	68 50	10 00	24 00	5 00	25 50	2 50	1 00	3 34		727 34
15	52 00	29 00	41 50	30 50	14 20	4 00	15 40	2 00	1 50	1 03		708 63
16	39 50	30 00	31 00	25 00	10 50	7 00	12 00	8 00	2 00	3 51	70 00	650 51
	740 05	471 31	600 00	380 44	210 20	96 00	228 40	81 39	16 30	28 14	4154 38	12744 95
1	372 11	372 11	289 42	289 42	155 46	155 46	90 60	90 60	19 84		413 29	4442 92
2		1 00		1 00		50						604 50
3	47 58	4 00	37 00	3 00	19 88	2 00	11 66				35 00	325 00
4	64 90	33 00	50 49	25 00	27 17	18 00	15 90	7 50	2 25	2 62	358 88	1050 78
5	60 57	30 83	47 11	26 20	25 30	2 60		2 00	85	1 75	127 79	683 57
6	34 00	6 00	26 92	5 00	14 46	2 00	8 43	2 00				304 85
7	64 00	13 25	51 00	5 00	25 00		6 76				44 25	298 98
8	44 03	2 60	33 65	2 75	18 17	1 05	10 50					201 25
9	69 38	5 05	58 84	3 00	28 46	1 00	10 86	70			1 25	473 47
10	51 95	7 00	40 38	6 00	21 63		12 64				30 90	353 73
11	73 30	14 00	57 20	9 00	29 95	2 50	19 90	2 00		50		511 65
12	44 03	1 40	33 65	1 00	18 77		10 50				10 08	186 18
13	85 00	20 00	65 00	15 00	30 00	7 00	20 00	5 00			50 00	717 00
14	44 33	15 00	33 65	10 00	18 17	5 00	12 50	3 20			923 18	14 2 53
	1055 29	525 24	824 31	396 87	432 62	197 11	230 25	113 00	22 94	4 87	1994 62	11566 41

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SUPPORT OF THE MINISTRY.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elders		Preacher in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants	
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid
<b>Sequatchee Dist.</b>								
1 Dayton Station.....	96 00	69 18	600 00	432 37	7 28	7 00	26 50	3 50
2 Spring City Circuit.....	64 00	49 63	400 00	310 45	4 86	2 00	13 25	6 00
3 Evansville Circuit.....	64 00	48 00	400 00	300 00	4 86	2 00	13 25	1 50
4 Kingston Circuit.....	64 00	55 00	400 00	265 00		3 00		5 00
5 Harriman Station.....	50 00	50 00	300 00	300 00	3 50	2 00	15 00	3 75
6 Clinton Station.....	60 00	60 00	500 00	435 00	6 60	5 00	22 08	15 00
7 Rockwood Station.....	64 00	45 43	400 00	280 24	4 86	2 75	19 10	5 00
8 Jamestown Mis.....	25 00	22 15	100 00	67 71	1 55	60	5 52	50
9 Jasper Station.....	96 00	96 00	600 00	600 00	7 28	5 00	26 50	14 00
10 Jasper Circuit.....	69 60	44 63	435 00	280 16	6 06	5 57	22 80	7 00
11 Dunlap & Whit. Cir.....	80 00	67 25	506 00	420 17	4 00	2 00	12 00	4 00
12 Pikeville Circuit.....	64 00	51 32	400 00	346 59	4 86	2 00	19 16	4 24
13 Cumberland Cir.....	48 00	17 76	300 00	108 92	3 84	1 70	13 25	1 70
14 Clinton Circuit.....	40 00	19 94	250 00	124 68	3 03	..	11 00	5 00
Total.....	884 60	696 29	5585 00	4271 29	62 58	40 62	219 41	76 19

## RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS								
1 Radford.....	1400 00	1176 58	8250 00	6994 08	150 51	111 09	504 48	352 05
2 Tazewell.....	1310 00	1004 87	7750 42	6091 94	123 00	79 17	409 00	202 11
3 Wytheville.....	1172 00	959 25	8172 00	6810 81	184 33	143 89	570 31	379 04
4 Abingdon.....	1290 90	1007 58	9081 14	7136 57	177 00	135 98	590 00	366 23
5 Big Stone Gap.....	1181 66	843 99	7140 50	5205 96	92 00	67 50	322 00	119 35
6 Morristown.....	1195 00	986 09	8400 00	6927 22	180 21	131 96	557 34	348 17
7 Knoxville.....	1385 00	1118 34	9840 00	8508 23	188 56	149 02	663 15	503 51
8 Cleveland.....	1199 30	962 63	7683 00	6245 50	124 80	82 00	400 80	226 86
9 Chattanooga.....	1345 00	994 82	9310 00	6332 68	147 42	90 43	577 32	293 83
10 Sequatchee.....	884 60	696 29	5585 00	4271 29	62 58	40 62	219 41	76 19
Total this year.....	12362 56	9750 44	81212 06	65124 28	1430 41	1031 66	4813 81	2867 34
Total last year.....	12104 25	9645 93	78510 32	62615 58	1361 65	989 05	4964 43	2740 15
Increase.....	258 31	104 51	2701 74	2508 70	68 76	42 61	.....	127 19
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150 62	.....



**Table No. 3.**  
**EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS.**

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Epworth Leagues	No. Ep. League Members	No. Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars	Amt. collected for Sunday Schools	Amt. collected for Missions	Amt. collected on Children's Day	Amt. collected for Other Objects	Total Amounts Raised
<b>Radford Dist.</b>										
Radford, Grove Ave.	1	73	1	28	214	18 00	92 86	19 37		292 23
Radford, Bo'ne Mem	1	18	1	9	112	18 63	41 80		17 28	77 71
Auburn Circuit			7	41	394	30 40				30 40
Jacksonville Circuit			8	40	350	11 00				11 00
Hylton Mission			7	45	450		10 00			10 00
New River Circuit...	2	57	3	30	273	24 91				24 91
Newbern Circuit....			7	53	493			5 51	64 56	70 07
Pulaski Misson			6	51	357	60 10			6 75	66 85
Staffordsville Circ't	2	86	8	68	380	37 40			26 40	63 80
Pearlsburg Circuit..	2	75	7	63	466	50 00		8 00		58 00
Princeton Station...			4	35	200	35 00				35 00
Concord Circuit.....	1	30	8	40	450	45 00				45 00
East River Mission..			7	47	290	29 25		7 92		37 17
Bluestone Circuit...	2	55	5	30	250	30 00				30 00
Bluefield Station	1	43	2	26	329	25 73	14 72	5 81		272 26
Pulaski Station	1	33	1	14	138	30 60	7 72			38 32
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>13</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>5136</b>	<b>834 02</b>	<b>167 10</b>	<b>46 61</b>	<b>114 99</b>	<b>1162 72</b>
<b>Tazewell Dist.</b>										
Tazewell Station	1	40	2	20	150	40 00	12 50			52 50
E. Tazewell Circuit.	3	50	8	41	340	36 00	150 00		15 00	201 00
N. Tazewell Mission.			7	30	270					
Clear Fork Misson..			11	100	600	35 00			15 00	50 00
Graham Station....	2	80	2	16	250	100 00	10 00			110 00
Pocahontas Station.			2	15	200	50 00				50 00
Cooper's Station	1	30	3	19	137	35 10		2 00		37 10
Bramwell Station...			1	20	140	43 40			50 10	93 50
Welch Mission.....	1	28	1	8	75	40 00			18 50	58 50
Liberty Hill Circuit.			5	48	400	240 00	10 00		100 00	350 00
Buchanan Misson..			6	15	250	1 80				1 80
Cedar Bluff Circuit..	1	35	4	50	300	15 00			26 00	41 00
Richland & Hon. Mis.	2	50	5	30	300	20 00		1 80	5 00	26 80
Aigoma Station			4	20	200	20 00				20 00
Mabeury & Nor. Fork	1	30	2	15	150	5 00			5 00	10 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>12</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>3812</b>	<b>681 30</b>	<b>182 50</b>	<b>3 80</b>	<b>234 60</b>	<b>1102 20</b>
<b>Wytheville Dist</b>										
Wytheville Station	1	45	1	21	142	46 00	23 00	3 00	13 00	85 00
Wytheville Circuit			12	137	822	70 00	4 51	4 00	40 00	118 00
E. Wytheville Mis			9	30	280				7 00	7 00
Leadmines Circuit..			7	43	367	45 00		5 30	45 00	95 30
Max Meadows Circ't			6	71	475	36 76	11 83	15 73	45 00	109 32
Hillsville Circuit...			5	36	237	8 64		2 10		10 74
Old Town Circuit			8	45	490	50 00				50 00
Independence Circ't			7	50	450	60 00		3 92	25 00	88 92
Elk Creek Circuit...			9	40	410	23 00		2 00		25 00
Spring Valley Circ't.			11	55	575	48 50		3 17		51 67
Mount Airy Circuit			10	98	798	78 68	11 45	3 42		93 55
Seddon Circuit.			5	40	300	16 00		3 00		19 00
Sharon Springs Circ't	1	25	4	27	232	6 90		1 24		8 14
Marlon Station	1	48	1	25	179	58 82		8 06		66 88
Marlon Circuit.	1	40	8	90	564	100 00			100 00	200 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>4</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>6 01</b>	<b>648 30</b>	<b>50 79</b>	<b>54 94</b>	<b>275 00</b>	<b>1029 03</b>

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<b>Abingdon Dist.</b>										
Abingdon Station..	1	45	2	35	270	90 00	12 00	3 64		105 64
Abingdon Circuit ..	1	11	9	70	650	19 75			1 30	21 05
Holston Circuit	2	36	7	50	570	60 00		3 06		63 06
Mendota Circuit. ....	1	30	6	48	225	50 00				50 00
Mountain City Mis...	3	33	24	166	3 33			3 21		6 60
Emory Circuit	1	30	7	40	450	50 00				50 00
Saltville and Un. Cir.	1	25	3	25	300	35 00			9 00	44 00
Rich Valley Circuit..	1	20	10	78	475	12 12			1200 00	1215 12
Bristol Main St. Sta.	1	60	1	24	360	114 39	5 12		148 85	268 36
Bristol And. St. Mis	1	40	1	18	150	50 00	14 85			64 85
Bristol Mary St. Sta.	1	45	1	18	160	35 31	12 43	4 45		52 19
Bristol Circuit	1	12	3	18	155	6 00				6 00
Blountville Circuit..	1	22	6	50	500	25 00				25 00
Bluff City Circuit	2	60	2	12	125	11 75				11 75
Elizabethton Station	2	49	1	11	125	60 00				60 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>17</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>4681</b>	<b>625 71</b>	<b>44 40</b>	<b>14 33</b>	<b>1350 15</b>	<b>2043 62</b>
<b>Big Stone G. Dis</b>										
Big Stone Gap Sta..	1	23	2	22	146	89 25		3 69		92 94
Big Stone Gap Mis..	2	64	3	21	172	22 58				22 58
Gladeville Circuit...			4	29	241	32 00				32 00
Clintwood Mission ..			5	20	225	20 00				20 00
Elk Garden Circuit..			3	22	230	18 20				18 20
Lebanon Circuit.			7	50	250	40 00		5 00		45 00
Dickensonville Cir..	1	46	5	21	220	15 00			1 00	16 00
Nickelsville Circuit.			9	45	270	9 00				9 00
Gate City Station ....	1	25	3	28	175	35 50		1 50	10 00	47 00
Kingport Circuit....			7	35	280	25 00				25 00
Hawkins Circuit	1	22	9	64	350	36 50		1 00		37 50
Clinchport Circuit.			5	54	200	6 00				6 00
Stickleyville Circuit.			5	32	320	26 00		2 50	15 00	43 50
Pennington Gap Cir.	1	35	6	30	318	29 00		2 00	1 12	32 12
Jonesville Circuit...	1	25	9	60	600	75 00		2 66	100 00	177 66
Powell's Valley Cir.	1		4	24	136	19 20				19 20
Cumberland Gap Sta	1	9	1	13	125	5 00				5 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>9</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>4258</b>	<b>503 23</b>		<b>18 35</b>	<b>127 12</b>	<b>648 70</b>
<b>Morristown Dis</b>										
Morristown Station.	1	66	2	41	217	80 15	33 35	14 22	29 62	157 34
Morristown Circuit.			6	61	500				175 00	175 00
Mossy Creek Circuit	1	27	2	20	180	40 00		7 72		47 72
Newport Station			2	14	165	51 00				51 00
Johnson City Station	1	37	1	17	250	71 67	33 20	6 33		111 23
Jonesboro Station...	1	23	1	8	119	48 00		3 11		51 11
Jonesboro Circuit...			4	23	245	22 17		5 28		27 45
Tate Spring Circuit..	3	50	6	30	402	19 34				19 34
Rutledge Circuit....			3	13	200	15 00	2 20	1 00		18 20
Rogersville Station..			2	19	120	38 00		2 65		40 65
Rheatown Circuit...	2	35	4	43	236	24 67		4 06		28 73
St. Clair Circuit			9	61	516	148 05		17 88		165 93
Greenville Station.	1	35	1	15	77	40 16		2 69		42 25
Greenville Circuit..			5	31	247			48		48
Fall Branch Circuit.			5	25	275	15 00			1 50	16 50
Tazewell Circuit.			4	16	160	10 70		1 00	2 00	13 70
Erwin Mission.			4	20	150	4 00				4 00
Parrott. and War. Cir	1	18	4	24	280	31 50		2 10		33 60
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>11</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>4369</b>	<b>659 41</b>	<b>68 75</b>	<b>67 95</b>	<b>208 12</b>	<b>1004 23</b>

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<b>Knoxville Dist.</b>										
Knox. Church St. Sta	1	52	1	33	410	207 88	32 13	20 85	69 81	330 67
Knox. Broad St. Sta.	1	75	1	30	350	416 50	12 50	18 00	.....	447 00
Knox. Centen'y Sta.	1	60	2	30	300	130 29	.....	3 87	.....	134 16
Knox. Foun. City Sta	1	60	1	20	115	79 28	.....	4 40	.....	83 68
Knoxville Circuit	.....	.....	6	19	334	30 00	.....	7 16	83 38	120 54
Macedonia Circuit...	3	101	4	22	264	35 00	.....	.....	.....	38 00
E. Fifth Ave. Station	1	72	1	120	106	25 50	.....	.....	.....	25 50
Strawbery P. Cir	.....	.....	3	20	200	100 00	.....	3 00	.....	103 00
Sevierville Circuit	3	50	4	32	380	50 00	5 00	.....	35 00	90 00
Maynardsville Cir.	.....	.....	3	8	50	13 75	.....	.....	.....	13 75
Andersonville Cir.	.....	.....	5	22	210	20 63	.....	.....	.....	20 63
Jacksboro Circuit.	.....	.....	2	.....	110	.....	.....	.....	21 00	21 00
Coal Creek Circuit.	.....	.....	1	9	119	28 06	.....	.....	3 75	31 81
Chilhowee Circuit.	.....	.....	1	7	85	15 00	.....	.....	.....	15 00
Highland Ave. Mts	1	.....	1	14	150	.....	9 00	.....	41 00	50 00
Total	12	470	36	386	3213	1154 89	58 63	57 28	253 94	1524 74
<b>Cleveland Dis.</b>										
Cleveland Station.	1	30	2	24	267	114 00	.....	2 87	40 00	156 87
Cleveland Circuit.	.....	.....	4	20	200	12 00	.....	.....	.....	12 00
Charleston Circuit.	3	90	5	35	290	47 00	.....	1 35	125 00	173 35
Riceville Circuit.	2	38	5	25	150	16 50	.....	.....	.....	16 50
Athens Station	1	51	1	.....	160	45 00	.....	2 50	38 64	86 14
Athens Circuit.	.....	.....	2	14	140	15 00	.....	.....	.....	15 00
Ducktown Mission	1	20	1	5	45	20 00	.....	2 00	.....	22 00
Sweetwater Circuit.	2	69	3	28	296	149 70	.....	5 00	30 00	184 70
Madisonville Circuit	2	45	4	28	200	22 25	.....	.....	12 00	34 25
Eleazer Circuit	.....	.....	2	15	200	10 38	.....	.....	18 00	28 38
Decatur Circuit.	1	35	7	46	417	49 17	.....	.....	10 00	59 17
New Hope Circuit.	.....	.....	1	7	40	6 00	.....	.....	.....	6 00
Loudon Circuit	2	53	3	18	180	44 00	.....	2 00	.....	46 00
Lenoir Circuit	1	40	3	24	270	56 47	.....	.....	200 00	256 47
Louisville Circuit	2	45	6	30	230	40 00	.....	.....	10 00	50 00
Maryville Station	.....	.....	1	8	79	22 32	.....	2 68	10 00	35 00
Total	18	516	50	327	3164	669 79	.....	18 40	493 64	1181 83
<b>Chattanooga D.</b>										
Chatt. Centenary..	1	128	2	36	370	326 46	40 00	.....	.....	366 46
Chatt. Whitside St.	1	84	1	18	246	62 61	86	1 22	22 00	86 69
Chatt. Cherry St	1	25	1	8	65	25 00	.....	.....	.....	25 00
Chatt. St. Elmo	3	75	1	16	150	33 82	10 67	1 00	25 00	70 49
Rldgedale and Rossy	2	135	2	17	192	48 20	8 83	3 59	.....	60 62
E. Chatt. and Citico.	1	14	2	19	130	99 38	.....	.....	38 42	137 80
Cole City & Etna Cir.	1	43	5	27	265	23 25	.....	.....	.....	23 25
Tennoga Circuit.	1	25	4	24	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trenton Circuit.	2	76	6	26	400	25 00	24 60	.....	.....	49 60
Ooltewah Circuit.	2	40	2	14	200	24 00	.....	.....	31 78	55 78
Hill City Station	1	40	1	13	85	49 50	6 65	.....	10 00	66 15
Hamilton Circuit	.....	.....	1	7	50	4 50	.....	.....	.....	4 50
South Pittsburg Sta.	1	30	1	14	174	65 00	.....	2 00	20 00	87 00
Highland Park Sta.	1	30	1	10	92	71 13	3 87	.....	25 00	100 00
Total	18	745	50	251	2693	857 85	95 48	7 81	172 20	1133 34

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<b>Sequatchee Dis</b>										
Dayton Station	1	51	1	14	124	30 03	4 55	4 54		39 12
Spring City Circuit	2	45	3	26	200	15 00		1 00	25 00	41 00
Evansville Circuit	1	25	4	20	225	32 00			5 00	37 00
Kingston Circuit			4	15	150					
Harriman Station	1	30	1	9	100	30 35		1 82		32 17
Clinton Station	1	26	1	10	100	20 00		1 50	10 00	31 50
Rockwood Station	2	64	3	23	160	94 35		1 85	13 00	109 20
Jamestown Mission			2	12	60	2 55				2 55
Jasper Station	1	50	1	12	100	30 00		2 50		32 50
Jasper Circuit	1	15	7	30	240			1 80		1 80
Dunlap & White, Ct			3	18	250	48 00			15 00	63 00
Pikeville Circuit			4	23	179	31 61				31 61
Cumberland Circuit			3	10	120	6 62		1 42		8 04
Clinton Circuit			3	15	150	10 00				10 00
<b>Total..</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>2188</b>	<b>350 51</b>	<b>4 55</b>	<b>16 43</b>	<b>68 00</b>	<b>439 40</b>

**RECAPITULATION.**

DISTRICTS	No. Leagues	No. Members	No. Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars	Amt. Collected for Sunday Schools	Amt. Collected for Missions	Amt. Collected on Children's Day	Amt. Collected for Other Objects	Total Amounts Raised
Radford	13	450	82	620	5136	834 02	167 10	46 61	114 99	1162 72
Tazewell	12	343	63	450	3812	681 30	182 50	3 80	234 60	1102 20
Wytheville	4	158	103	808	6301	648 30	50 79	54 94	275 00	1029 03
Abingdon	17	485	62	521	4681	625 71	44 40	14 36	1359 15	2043 62
Big Stone Gap	9	249	87	570	4258	503 23		18 35	127 12	648 70
Morristown	11	291	65	481	4369	659 41	68 75	67 95	208 12	1004 23
Knoxville	12	470	36	386	3213	1154 89	58 63	57 28	253 94	1524 74
Cleveland	18	516	50	327	3164	669 79		18 40	493 64	1181 83
Chattanooga	18	745	30	251	2663	857 85	95 48	7 81	172 20	1133 34
Sequatchee	10	305	40	237	2138	350 51	4 55	16 43	68 00	439 49
<b>Total</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>4013</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>4651</b>	<b>39735</b>	<b>6985 01</b>	<b>672 20</b>	<b>305 93</b>	<b>3306 76</b>	<b>11269 90</b>
<b>Total last year</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2488</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>4403</b>	<b>38013</b>	<b>7141 91</b>	<b>548 76</b>	<b>301 80</b>	<b>1396 51</b>	<b>9252 37</b>
<b>Increase</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1525</b>		<b>248</b>	<b>1722</b>		<b>123 44</b>	<b>4 13</b>	<b>1910 25</b>	<b>2017 53</b>
<b>Decrease</b>			<b>7</b>			<b>156 90</b>				

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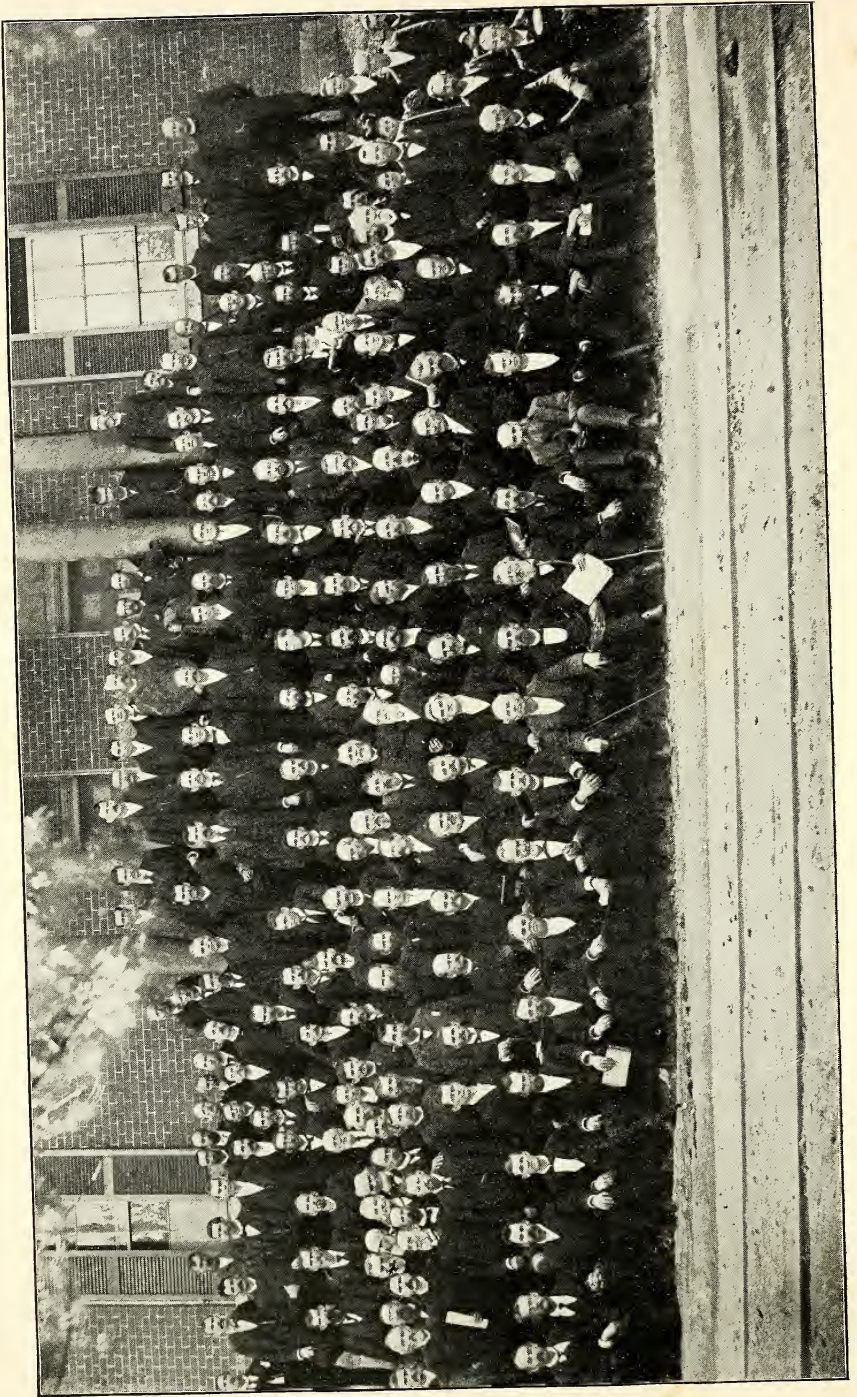
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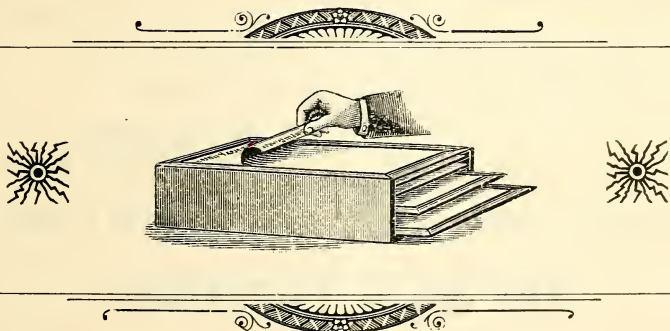
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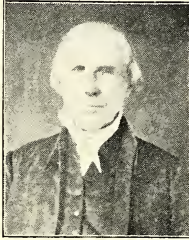
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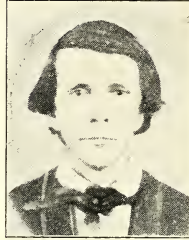
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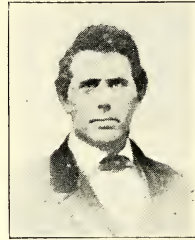
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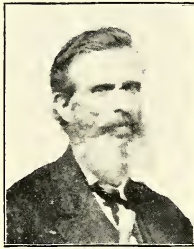
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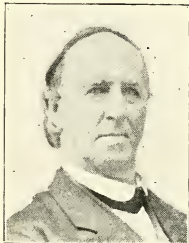
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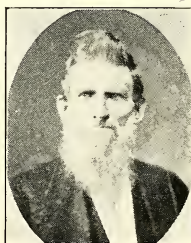
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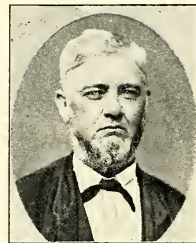
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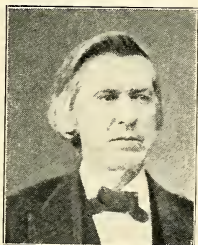


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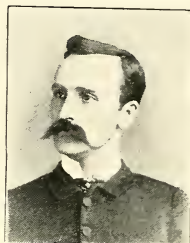
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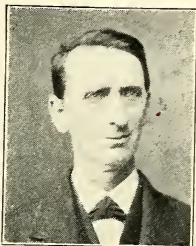
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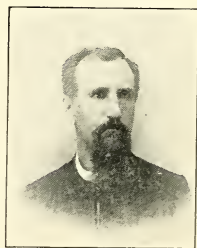
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138 Price, R. N	Harriman Station	Harriman, Tenn
139 Price, W. H	Holston Circuit	Glade Spring, Va
140 Pyott, W. W	Tazewell District	Tazewell, Va
141 Richardson, F.	Broad Street Station	Knoxville, Tenn
142 Robertson, J. W	Jasper Circuit	Jasper, Tenn
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148 Shuler, J. W. W	Lebanon Circuit	Lebanon, Va
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